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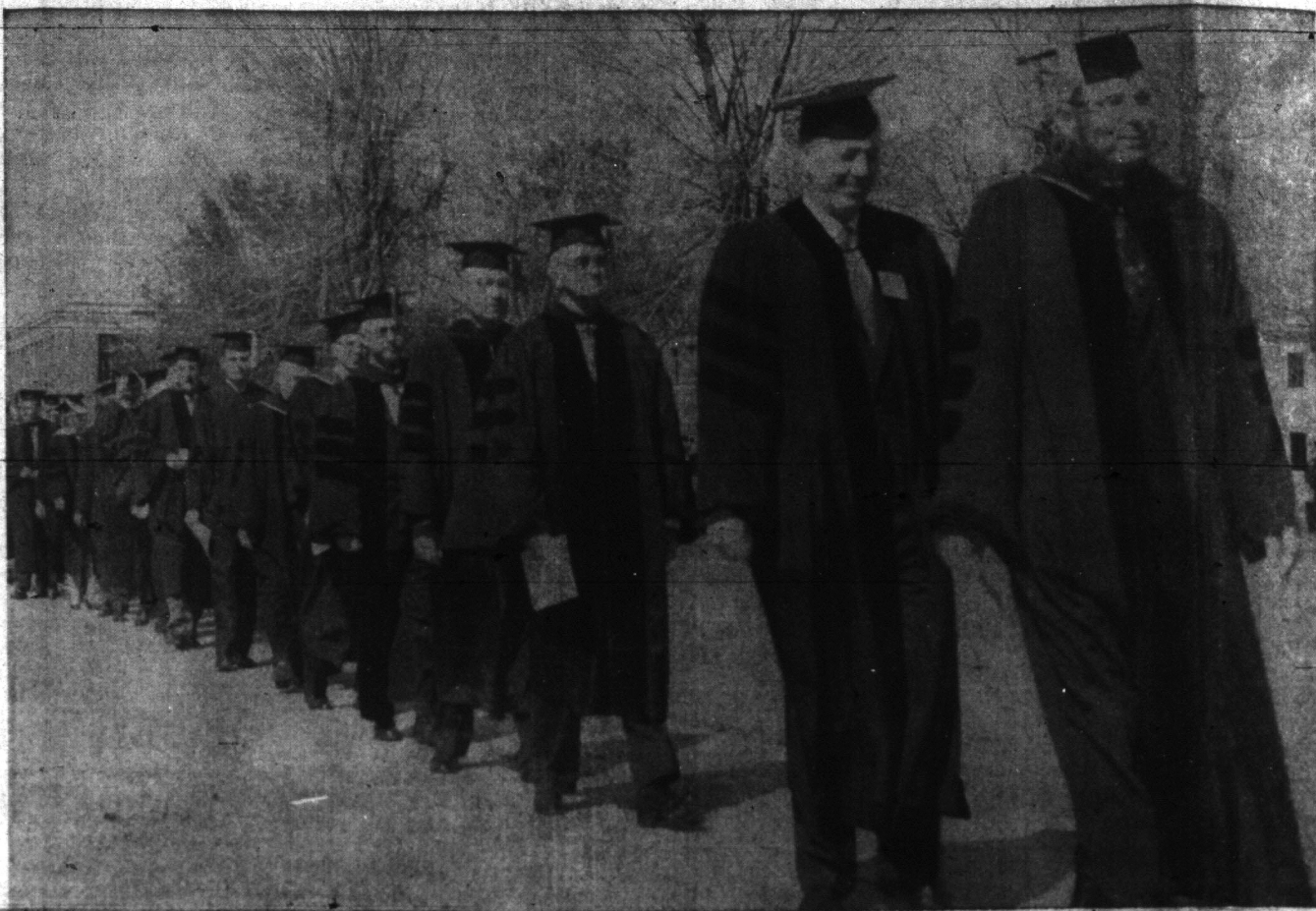
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BSU RETREAT PERSONALITY — Miss Adelle Carlson, recreation consultant, Church Recreation Service, Sunday School Board, Nashville, will be one of the program personalities for the annual State Student Retreat for BSU officers to be held April 18-20 at Decatur.



LEADING HIS INAUGURAL PROCESSION IS Dr. R. A. McLemore, president of Mississippi College who was officially installed in March 19 ceremonies. Behind him, in order, are the Hon. J. P. Coleman, Governor of Mississippi; Dr. D. M. Nelson, president emeritus of the College; and Dr. W. D. McCain, president of Mississippi Southern College. Hundreds of visitors thronged the Baptist campus to view the rites and extend congratulations to Dr. McLemore.

### Brucker Points To God

CHICAGO (RNS) — Secretary of the Army Wilber M. Brucker told some 3,000 Presbyterian laymen here that it is not "un-Christian" for this country to arm itself with "the awful power of missiles and nuclear weapons" in defense against Godless Russia.

Addressing the 10th annual meeting of the National Council of Presbyterian Men, he said that "Christianity has never required that civilization should be crucified by its enemies while its friends are immobilized and silent."

"We would be derelict in the discharge of our responsibilities as Christian citizens if we failed to use wisely all power available to us to stay the hand of the aggressor, and help to fashion a better world in which peace and justice shall ultimately reign," he declared.

But the Army chief warned that this country cannot place her faith in armor alone.

conceive that in our great military strength lies the real salvation of our nation and the free world," he said. "In the final analysis, it is the power and grace of the whole armor of God to which we rightfully and confidently entrust our future."

#### Calls On Russia

Calling on Russia to lift its Iron Curtain, Mr. Brucker said that as long as the Soviets remain "a Godless nation and refuse to give the Russian people a fair chance to embrace Christian concepts, America will continue to be misunderstood and genuine peace will be difficult." (Continued on Page 8)

Rivalry and "scorn of any three" will not be tolerated among the seven Baptist boys of North America that are taking part in the Baptist Jubilee Advance.

This was said in a history-making 500-word statement adopted unanimously by the Baptist Jubilee Advance committee meeting in Oak Park, Illinois, February 27 and 28.

"Unhappy tensions" that have marred relationships were faced squarely. It was stated that "it is a most hopeful and healing sign that this fact is frankly acknowledged by representatives of bodies cooperating in the Baptist Jubilee Advance."

This very sense of regret and of charitable resolve to build bridges of communication and understanding augurs well for results from the Baptist Jubilee Advance program which shall partake of the true character of Christ's Kingdom of light and love and power."

#### Chairman To Rotate

The committee provided for the chairmanship to rotate among the participating denominations. Dr. Casper C. Warren, Charlotte, North Carolina, will continue as chairman until September.

Prayer meetings in 75,000 Baptist churches in the United States and Canada, on December 31, 1958, will inaugurate the Advance. Prayers for the Advance will be offered in Baptist churches on June 1, 1959, according to the Rev. Dr. Leonard Sanderson, Ft. Worth, Tex., chairman of the committee planning the emphasis on evangelism in 1959-1960.

Faculties and student bodies on college and university campuses will be included in the evangelism program, the Rev. Dr. Jitsuo Morikawa, New York, New York, American Baptist director of evangelism, told the committee at its Oak Park meeting.

#### TV Programs

Thirteen television programs will be another part of the effort to evangelize America in 1959. The programs will start on

out North America. They are being produced under the leadership of Rev. Paul Stevens, Fort Worth, Texas, director of radio and television for the Southern Baptist Convention.

Posters, leaflets, and publicity through the Baptist press and the secular press will give additional support to the Advance. The committee adopted a statement of objectives for the Advance. It declared, in the first of six objectives, that the Baptists of North America propose "to win through compassionate and concerned witness . . . a great host of people, at home and beyond the seas." This statement was written by Dr. Thomas B. McDormand, general secretary of the Baptist Federation of Canada.

Mississippi Baptists plan to cooperate along with other Southern Baptists in the giant Jubilee Advance which will be one of the biggest undertakings of world Baptists in all history. The Jubilee effort for Mississippi and Southern Baptists will be coordinated through the Department of Evangelism of the Home Mission Board.

Plans will be announced as they develop for the part Mississippi Baptists will play in this effort.

### Foreign Board Gains

The number of overseas churches related to Southern Baptist work increased 208 during 1957; and chapels and mission points (sometimes called outstations) increased 789.

The total number of churches at the end of the year was 2,938 and the number of chapels and mission points was 5,898. Baptists totaling 25,078 brought the membership of the churches to 383,092.

This information was gleaned from the Foreign Mission Board's 1957 report, a compilation of figures and facts from the 38 countries and territories

#### Report At Houston

The report will be presented to the Southern Baptist Convention when it meets in Houston, Tex., in May and will be printed in *The Field Is the World*, annual publication of the Board.

### Indonesia Work Escapes War

The Indonesian civil war has not affected Southern Baptist mission work in the country, according to Foreign Mission Board secretaries.

In statements of reassurance to Southern Baptists, Dr. Baker J. Cauthen, executive secretary, and Dr. J. Winston Crawley, secretary for the Orient, said: "All civil disturbances are on the island of Sumatra; and all Southern Baptist work is located on the island of Java."

Plans are going right ahead for the appointment of additional missionaries for Indonesia.

Recent appointees have entered the country without difficulty."

## McLemore Installed As MC Head

By GLEN JONES, Public Relations Director, Mississippi College

In colorful ceremonies marked by dignity and simplicity, Dr. R. A. McLemore was officially inducted as Mississippi College's 16th president, March 19.

The occasion was the first official inauguration of a president in Mississippi College's history. Induction of the president was performed by the Rev. C. B. Hamlett, III, Winona, president of the college's board of trustees. Dr. McLemore became the eighth president of the college since it became a Baptist institution in 1950.

Over 450 visitors, who came as representatives of colleges and universities, denominational organizations, and learned societies, were among the crowds who thronged the campus. In addition, there were alumni and friends of the institution from all across the nation.

Pledges to Christian principles and progress were included in Mr. McLemore's inaugural address. Said he, "A very special aspect of the development of the individual which we stress at Mississippi College is moral and spiritual growth."

Mississippi College has a special responsibility to provide its students with every assistance in developing a strong spiritual and moral life.

### Commissions To Continue Roles

Editor's Note: The Southern Baptist Convention will vote at Houston in May on recommendations of a Committee to Study the Total SBC Program. This is the fourth of six articles on the committee's report. This article covers the part of the report applying to the group of agencies known as commissions, to Convention-operated hospitals, and to the Southern Baptist Foundation.

#### By The Baptist Press

The report of the Committee to study Total Southern Baptist Convention Program makes specific reference to only two agencies classed as commissions. They are the Hospital Commission and the proposed new Stewardship Commission.

#### wardship Commission.

While it discusses the responsibility of the new Stewardship Commission, the Survey Committee report makes no recommendations for internal changes of existing commissions. They would perform the same duties with which they are already charged.

References to the existing commissions — except for one item about hospitals — are made only in general terms applying

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Mississippi College is interested in maintaining those Christian virtues which are the backbone of our civilization. There is no substitute for faith, honesty, Christian love, charity, the Golden Rule, courage, and a genuine appreciation of the noble Christian life.

The college seeks through the maintenance of organized religious instruction and the preservation of a favorable Christian climate to provide the environment for the ennobling of the spirit of the individual student."

In speaking of Mississippi College's future, Dr. McLemore stated, "The prospects for the future of Mississippi College have never been brighter. Its location in the heart of Mississippi, near the state's largest urban center, gives it increased opportunities for preparing young men and women for leadership in all fields of endeavor. Its unique mission of providing personnel for leadership in the Baptist denomination is becoming increasingly important."

#### Will Move Forward

The administration, faculty, student body, and board of trustees are happy that they have a part in meeting the challenge of this hour. It is their earnest prayer that this beloved institution will move forward and serve our day and generation. We covet your interest, your prayers, and your support in making Mississippi College a greater educational and spiritual force, as this nation and this world move into a new age."

Presiding over the ceremony was the Rev. Hamlet. Preceding the presidential address was the delivery of greetings to the president from various groups. Kenneth T. Walney, Gulfport senior, and president of the MC student

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### World Medical Tour Set

WASHINGTON, D. C. (BWA) —Plans for a round-the-world tour by four Christian doctors, under sponsorship of the Baptist World Alliance, have been announced by Robert S. Denny, BWA associate secretary.

The medical men, chosen on the basis of both their professional competence and their Christian dedication, will leave San Francisco June 27 and visit clinics and hospitals around the world before returning to New York in late September.

Mr. Denny said the doctors will confer with local medical personnel in all areas and offer their services where needed. It is hoped that this summer's survey may make possible the establishment of a permanent revolving pool of volunteer physicians who will be available wherever needed for three months' periods.

## GRAHAM'S MESSAGE MAY GO TO 150 MILLION OVERSEAS

NEW YORK (RNS) — Spanish translations of Bill Graham's weekly radio program "The Hour of Decision," may be broadcast to a potential audience of 150 million in Latin America, Spain, the Philippines and other Spanish-speaking areas of the world.

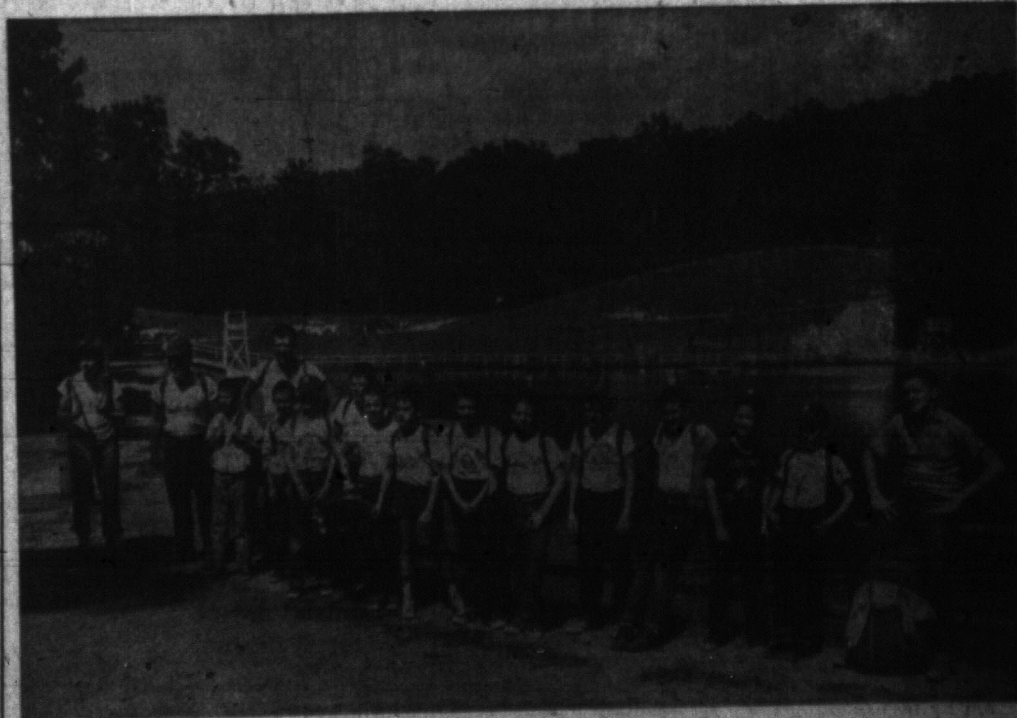
This was revealed here by the Rev. Rogelio Archilla, Spanish interpreter for Mr. Graham on the evangelist's recent month-long crusade in the Caribbean and Central America.

Mr. Archilla said he had accepted a tentative request from from Billy Graham Evangelistic Association to deliver, as well as to translate, the evangelist's sermons on the program which, if launched, would be "a direct result of the crusade."

Mr. Graham has agreed to come to New York in September for a week-long evangelistic campaign among the city's Spanish speaking population; "if we in New York can get

together for it," Mr. Archilla said. He added that the Fraternity of Spanish-speaking Protestant Ministers of New York City has decided to go ahead with the preparatory work.

In the Caribbean and Central America Mr. Graham addressed some 400,000 persons. Another 500,000 more attended preliminary rallies held by associate evangelists before his visits to each country. A total of about 20,700 "decisions for Christ" were recorded.



BOYS TO CAMP RIDGECREST—Nashville, Tenn. (BSB) —All set to take off for an overnight camping trip. This group of boys spent six weeks last year at Camp Ridgecrest for Boys, Ridgecrest, N. C. The Southern Baptist boys' camp will celebrate its thirtieth birthday this summer. The camp will begin its first session June 9. The session begins July 17. For further information, write Harry M. McCall, Jr., director, Camp Ridgecrest for Boys, Ridgecrest, N. C.





**SOME DENOMINATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES IN MC INAUGURATION**—Several representatives of denominational agencies were caught in informal pose just before the inauguration of Dr. R. A. McLemore as president of Mississippi College last Wednesday. From left: Dr. S. R. Woodson, Columbus, representing the Mississippi Baptist Convention; Dr. Floyd Chaffin, Dallas, the Relief and Annuity Board; Dr. James L. Sullivan, Nashville, the Sunday School Board; Dr. J. H. Kyzar, Greenwood, the Foreign Mission Board; Purser Hewitt, Jackson, the SBC Executive Committee; and Owen Cooper, Yazoo City, the Mississippi Baptist Education Commission.



Dr. Marshall Craig



William J. Reynolds

## 1st, Jackson, Slates Spring Revival

The week preceding Easter, March 30-April 6, has been set aside for a spring revival at First Church, Jackson, according to the pastor, Dr. W. D. Hudgins. Preaching each evening at 7:30 will be Dr. W. Marshall Craig, of Dallas, Texas. Dr. Craig was for many years pastor of the Gaston Avenue Church in that city, and is recognized as one of Southern Baptist's most beloved and dynamic preachers.

Assisting in the music ministry will be William J. Reynolds, associate in the Department of Church Music at the Sunday School Board in Nashville.

The Church Nursery will open each evening at 7:15. The two Sunday morning services of Dr. Craig, at 11:00 o'clock, will be televised in accordance with the regular television schedule of First Church.

**SAN FRANCISCO**—A new radio series is scheduled to begin here soon, featuring a prominent religious leader's commentary on the moral aspects of headline news. The program will highlight the Very Rev. C. Julian Bartlett, Dean of Grace Episcopal Cathedral here.



## WHAT IS IN THE BIBLE FOR ME?

In 1526 for daring to translate and print the Bible into the language of common people William Tyndale of England was strangled and his body burned. He is not the only one to die because of his faith in this remarkable book. Hundreds have willingly gone to the martyr's death because of their desire for other men to know and believe the message of the Bible. They believed there was something in the Bible for the people.

One of the oldest books, and larger than most, the Bible was about 1500 years in the making and was written by nearly 40 different men. Five hundred years ago when the printing press was invented the Bible as we know it was already more than a thousand years old yet it was the first book to be printed. Since that first edition it has never been off the presses. It continues to be the best-selling book year after year after year. Surely these very facts make you curious. You say, "What is in the Bible for me?"

Let the Bible itself answer your question: "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works" (2 Timothy 3:16-17). Also, "Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee" (Psalm 119:11).

The Bible is your guidebook for belief and behavior and is supreme over all creeds and declarations of faith. It is the all-sufficient revelation of God to you. It will show you the way to God, will explain the conditions of your salvation from sin, and will guide you in godly living.

Sir Walter Scott, man of letters and author of many books, when he lay dying, said: "Bring me the book." His devoted attendant, perplexed by such an order from a man whose library contained thousands of volumes, asked which one Scott wanted. And the weak but clear reply came: "There is but one book—bring me the Bible."

Baptists believe that other books will help you to understand God and to appreciate the message of the Bible; but they most emphatically say no other book and no other utterance can take the place of the Bible or stand equal with it in importance.

Why not read it and find its message for you?

## Quarles Chosen As Camp Pastor, Kansas Assembly

Dr. Chester L. Quarles, executive secretary of the Mississippi Baptist Convention, Jackson, will be the camp pastor of the Kansas State assembly in Topeka, August 11-15.

Doctor Quarles, a graduate of Southern seminary, has been in his present position in Mississippi since 1950.

A pastor for many years, Doctor Quarles is also a member of the 30,000 committee for the SBC. He has served in preaching missions to Jamaica and to Argentina, as well as having toured the Holy Land and Europe. At one time he was the associate Southwide Training Union secretary for the Sunday School board.

He is featured on page 1 of the March 22 issue of the Kansas state paper, the Baptist Digest.

gram" and give such a program "status equal to that of other agencies."

Another new commission is discussed as a prospect for some indefinite date in the future. It would embody functions now carried on through the Executive Committee's division of publications.

The division of publications serves the Convention in public and press relations, operates a news service, publishes a monthly magazine for Baptist leaders, and operates the Baptist Bulletin Service and mat service.

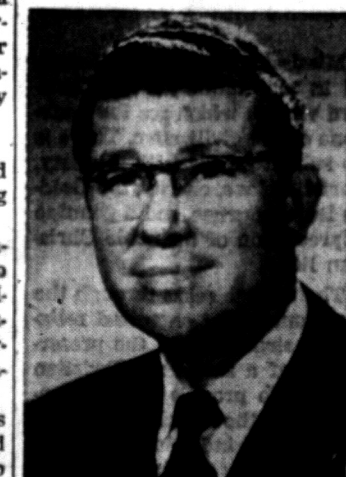
The Survey Committee says such a new commission could be established when an "expanded public relations program" warranted the creation of a separate agency to conduct its affairs.

### Foundation Is Separate

The Survey Committee recommends that the Southern Baptist Foundation be continued as a separate agency and that it "strengthen its investment management staff" by employing a qualified specialist in the field.

It would also have on its staff "one or more persons qualified to advise and provide information to the Southern Baptist Convention agencies and state conventions on technical matters relating to wills, annuities, and other means of capital giving."

The Survey Committee "considered the desirability of merging the Foundation with other Convention agencies but after more deliberation and study decided this would not be a wise course of action." A merger "would likely involve legal complications and violate moral commitments," according to the report.



Morris Ford

## New Albany To Hear Morris Ford

The First Church in New Albany will be in revival services April 6-13.

Dr. W. Morris Ford of Longview, Texas, will be the guest preacher and George Van Egmond, minister of music and education, at the First Church will have charge of the music.

Dr. Ford is a native of Illinois and has been pastor of the First Baptist Church of Longview, Texas, for the past thirteen years.

His wife is the former Lola Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Varda Smith of New Albany.

Dr. Ford is a graduate of Southwestern College in Memphis, and he graduated with the Th. M. and Ph. D. Degrees from the Southern Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. He holds the D. D. Degree from Baylor University.

Morning services will be held Tuesday through Friday at 10:00 a. m. and evening services every night at 7:30 p. m. Dr. J. William Harbin is the pastor.

## Program Southern Baptist Religious Education Association First Methodist Church Houston, Texas

May 19-20, 1958

### MONDAY AFTERNOON

J. M. Price, Sr., Presiding

- 2:00 Devotional ..... J. Earl Meade, Dallas, Tex.
- 2:10 President's Message ..... J. M. Price, Sr., Ft. Worth, Tex.
- 2:20 Development of Elementary Curriculum ..... Florrie Ann Lawton, Nashville, Tenn.
- 2:45 Panel Discussion ..... Ann Bradford, Ft. Worth, Tex. Mrs. Polly Dillard, Louisville, Ky., Mrs. Helen Harwell, New Orleans, La.
- 3:25 Integration of Elementary Work ..... Jas. Daniel, Ft. Worth
- 3:50 Panel Discussion ..... La Verne Ashby, Nashville, Tenn., Elsie Rives, Birmingham, Ala., Helen Young, Nashville.
- 4:30 Adjourn.

### MONDAY EVENING

Keener Pharr, Presiding

- 7:00 Devotional ..... Andrew Allen, Dallas, Tex.
- 7:10 Correlation of the Education Program ..... Ernest Loessner, Louisville, Ky.
- 7:35 General Discussion led by ..... Herman King, Nashville
- 8:05 Problems Confronted in Religious Education ..... Norman O'Neal, Clinton, Miss.
- 8:30 General Discussion led by ..... W. M. Browning
- 9:00 The Jubilee Advance ..... W. L. Howse, Nashville, Tenn.
- 9:30 Adjourn

### TUESDAY MORNING

Findley B. Edge, Presiding

- 9:00 Devotional ..... Kermit King, Jackson, Miss.
- 9:10 Theological Foundations of Religious Education—Howard P. Colson, Nashville, Tenn.
- 9:35 General Discussion led by ..... John T. Wayland, Wake Forest, North Carolina
- 10:05 Psychological Foundations of Religious Education—Kelva Moore, New Orleans, La.
- 10:35 General Discussion led by ..... John Drakeford, Ft. Worth
- 11:05 Group Conferences
- Teachers ..... Findley B. Edge, Louisville, Ky., S. S. Field Workers ..... J. L. Pollard, Alexandria, La., Training Union Field Workers ..... George Caldwell, Montgomery, Alabama
- Educational Directors ..... Keener Pharr, Charlotte, N. C.
- Youth Directors ..... Phillip B. Harris, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- Elementary Workers ..... Mrs. Polly Dillard
- 12:15 Adjourn

### TUESDAY AFTERNOON

J. L. Pollard, Presiding

- 2:00 Devotional ..... Truett Sheriff, Albuquerque, N. M.
- 2:10 Duties and Relations of Church Staff ..... Panel Discussion Grady Cothen, Oklahoma City, Okla., Richard Kay, Oklahoma City, Okla., Betty Brewer, Birmingham, Ala., Ethel McIndoo
- 2:55 Week-Day Religious Education ..... Mayme Lee O'Brien
- 3:20 General Discussion led by ..... James C. Barry, Nashville
- 3:50 Business Session
- 4:30 Adjourn.

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### THE BROTHERHOOD JOURNAL — ITS PLACE IN THE LIFE OF YOUR MEN, ORGANIZATION

By George W. Schroeder, Editor

The Brotherhood Journal is the major publication of the Brotherhood Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. It fills a very important place in the life and work of the Brotherhood endeavor as it reaches into multiplied thousands of Southern Baptist churches. Through its pages, the men of the Brotherhood can be made acutely aware of the responsibilities and privileges that they have in being followers of a risen reigning Christ.

A careful analysis of the Brotherhood Journal will reveal that the editor and writers seek to achieve three major purposes in each and every issue which is published: Those purposes are—

(1) To provide program materials for Brotherhoods that are seeking attractive and purposeful programs for the men in their regular meetings.

(2) To make available helpful information to Brotherhood leaders that they might be better acquainted with their task and, consequently, better enabled to carry out the responsibilities embodied in their offices.

(3) To keep all of the men of the Brotherhoods and churches abreast with the work of their denomination as it reaches to the farthest corners of the world.

To achieve these three major purposes, each issue of the Journal contains special features aimed directly toward the men and officers of the Brotherhoods. Invariable these features point to practical suggestions that they may follow in strengthening the work of their organizations.

The program materials are written by men who are considered to be outstanding leaders in the fields about which they write. Their articles, consequently, are well written, to-the-point, and contain timely and practical messages. These articles, combined with other brief and informative editorials, seek to keep the men abreast of the work that their denomination is promoting and what they

can do in and through their respective churches to have an increasingly larger part in it.

Yes, the Brotherhood Journal fills an important place in the life and work of the men of your church and your Brotherhood. If you would desire that your men be better informed of the work of the Lord and that your Brotherhood would do an even better piece of work than it is now doing, we suggest that every member of your organization be supplied with issues of the Journal as it comes from the press each quarter.

## McLemore Installed

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body, brought greetings from the students at the college.

### Alumni Greetings

Bringing alumni greetings was Robert M. Hederman, Jackson, vice president of the Mississippi College Alumni Association. Faculty spokesman was Dr. Arthur E. Wood, professor of chemistry.

Dr. S. R. Woodson, president of the Mississippi Baptist Convention, delivered greetings from Mississippi Baptists, followed by Dr. James L. Sullivan, executive secretary treasurer of the Sunday School Board, who spoke for Southern Baptists. Offering congratulations from the United States Office of Education was Dr. Ernest V. Hollis, director of the office's College and University Administration section.

### McCain Speaks

Delegates' greetings were offered by Dr. William D. McCain, president of Mississippi Southern College. The support and cooperation of the state of Mississippi were pledged by Gov. James P. Coleman.

Preceding the inauguration was a luncheon in the college's cafeteria, at which members of the class of 1923 were special guests. John W. Dickens, Lealand, expressed the pride of the class in having one of its members selected as president of Mississippi College, and presented a gift from the class to Dr. and Mrs. McLemore. A reception in the president's home followed the ceremony. Over 500 alumni, students, and friends came by to congratulate the newly-installed president.



Dr. David Grant

## New Broadmoor, Jackson Pastor

Dr. David Grant, pastor for 5½ years of First Church, Drew, has accepted the call of the Broadmoor Church, Jackson, and will begin his new work in the near future.

Dr. Grant is a graduate of Mississippi College and the Southern Seminary, Louisville, Ky., holding a Th. D. degree from that school.

The work at Drew has grown substantially under his leadership. A new plant has been erected following its destruction by fire.

He is a trustee of Mississippi College and is active in denominational affairs.

He will succeed Rev. Gordon Sansing, who resigned to become secretary of Cooperative Missions of the State Convention Board.

## Mrs. Brillhart Featured At Autograph Party

On Thursday afternoon, March 20, the Baptist Book Store gave an autograph party, featuring Mrs. Florence C. Brillhart, outstanding author of numerous books of worship programs. Mrs. Brillhart lives in Hobart, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Brillhart's latest book is *WORSHIPING WITH THE WOMEN OF THE BIBLE*, a series of unusually well-written devotionals centering around a number of Bible personalities. At the beginning of each devotional, Mrs. Brillhart, suggests a unique center of interest to be used with the program. She gives fresh insight into the lives and characters of well-known—and some not so well-known—women of Bible times.

Mrs. O. M. Jones is manager of the Book Store.

**INDIANAPOLIS**—Giving to cooperative causes of the Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ) increased more than nine per cent in the first seven months of their current fiscal year, Dr. Spencer P. Austin, executive director of Unified Promotion, the denomination's promotional agency, announced.



Rev. Houston Inman

## Concord Announces Youth Revival

Concord Church in Yazoo County will hold youth revival services April 6-13, with night services beginning at 7:30 Monday through Saturday.

Rev. Houston Inman, Mississippi College graduate and former pastor of the Ogden Church in Yazoo County, will be the evangelist. He is now pastor at the Winona Mission.

Rev. Leroy Fenton, pastor at Concord, will lead the singing and Barbara Ann Kinard will serve as pianist.

The young people will be in charge on April 6, which has been designated as Youth Day.



# MC's Challenge Pictured By Pres. McLemore



DR. R. A. McLEMORE, president of Mississippi College, (left) and Dr. W. E. Richardson, president of Bethel College, Hopkinsville, Ky., pause briefly on Dr. McLemore's inauguration day to talk over old times. They were roommates at Mississippi College and both graduated in 1923.

## Dr. McLemore—"Man Of Caliber And Potentiality"

By ANNE McWILLIAMS  
Editorial Assistant

"Great men hallow a whole people, and lift up all who live in their time."—Sydney Smith. Richard Aubrey McLemore, inaugurated Wednesday, March 19, as the eighth president of Mississippi College, is one of the great men of our time.

Last summer when the new president was chosen, Dr. Chester Quarles, executive secretary of the Miss. Baptist Convention Board said, "The Trustees of Mississippi College are to be congratulated upon securing a man of the caliber and potentialities of Dr. R. A. McLemore."

Dr. Orin Cornett, executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Education Commission, spoke of McLemore as "a man of outstanding scholarship."

"The Mississippi Collegian," issue of March 19 is a special edition in honor of R. A. McLemore, "a former editor. President McLemore edited Volume 7 of the Mississippi College paper in 1922-23. Now he 'edits' Mississippi College itself." In an editorial in the special edition C. Earl Edmondson writes, "He possesses those qualities necessary for success in such a trying job as he faces: capability, energy, and dedication."

Mrs. McLemore, the former Nannie Pitts of Harvest, Alabama, says of her husband, "He loves people and enjoys a great deal the contacts with friends and alumni of the college. His greatest concern—or at least what he talks the most about—is the need for more buildings and better equipment for Mississippi College."

Next to the inauguration itself, perhaps Dr. McLemore's most thrilling experience yet as President was the tribute the student body paid to him on March 14 when they presented him with the Choctaw Indian War Bonnet!

Photography, fishing, and reading are numbered among the President's hobbies. (He reads history "for relaxation!")

Dr. McLemore's office secretary, Mrs. N. W. Carpenter, declares, "He is a wonderful person!"

A native of Perry County, Dr. McLemore is a graduate of Hattiesburg High school, Mississippi College (1923, with distinction), George Peabody College

for Teachers (M. A.), and Vanderbilt University (Ph. D.) He studied in Paris and at the American Seminary in Europe. He has visited England, France, Switzerland, Mexico, Canada, Mexico, Germany, and Yugoslavia.

In 30 years of teaching experience he was teacher at Paynes, superintendent of Sandersville School, dean of Jones Junior College, teaching fellow at Vanderbilt, associate professor of history at Judson College. From 1938 until 1957 he was at Mississippi Southern College, where he was for a time head of the Social Studies Department, and where he later became dean. (January - September, 1955, he was acting president at Southern).

At an early age becoming a member of the Petal-Harvey Baptist Church, he was a deacon in First Church, Hattiesburg, and has been quite active both in religious and civic affairs.

The widely known author has written a number of history books, including *Our Nation's Story*, which has been adopted for use as a textbook in 41 of the 48 states. Mrs. McLemore is co-author of the seventh grade history, *Mississippi Through Four Centuries*.

Dr. McLemore's only son, Harry K., is Director of Industrial Promotion for the Chamber of Commerce in Shreveport. Endowed with a friendly smile and an engaging personality, R. A. McLemore is much loved by the students at M. C. He is a capable administrator and is well able to meet the challenges facing him in his role as college president.

As Ben Jonson said of Francis Bacon, Dr. McLemore seems to me "one of the greatest men, and most worthy of admiration."

TORONTO — Headquarters of the United Church of Canada, a \$1,000,000 building under construction here, will be named The United Church House.

NEW YORK — By a vote of 14 to 7 the City Council petitioned the state Legislature to permit certain stores to do business on Sunday if they are closed Saturday for religious observances.

By DR. R. A. McLEMORE  
President, Mississippi College

Mississippi College has a record of distinguished achievement in the field of higher education. The institution is not content to rest on the laurels it has won but is determined to move forward to serve even more effectively.

One of the principal sources of strength of Mississippi College has been its strong Christian emphasis. The college is proud of its close relationship with the Baptist denomination. It is looking forward to a strengthening of this relationship and a closer identification of interests. The college is particularly proud of the privilege of training leaders for the Baptist denomination.

Mississippi College has a reputation for a quality program. This heritage must be maintained. There is no place for mediocrity today. A quality program depends upon a number of factors. Perhaps the most important of these is the quality of the students. Mississippi College seeks young men and women of promise. These quality young people are active in the church life of the state, and they should be encouraged to study in one of the denominational colleges. Our friends can render the college a major service by directing these young people to the institution.

### Double Enrolment Seen

There is likely to be a larger number of young people going to college in the next decade than ever before. Reliable statistics for Mississippi indicate a doubling of the college enrolment in the next ten years. Mississippi College expects to take care of its share of these students. In order that we may provide the necessary facilities for these new students, we must begin now to make preparation for them.

An increasing number of students means a larger faculty. One of the chief manpower shortages in America today is in qualified college teachers. We simply do not have enough people to teach all of the students. At Mississippi College we want people who have certain characteristics in addition to being scholars in their respective fields. This limits the number of people we have to choose from. In order to get these people we have having to increase our faculty salaries. We can only have a quality program with quality faculty personnel and this our Board of Trustees is determined to have.

### Need Buildings

We also must have buildings and equipment with which to carry on our educational program. The most economical use of facilities will not suffice for the increasing numbers. Mississippi College has under construction this year two new buildings which will relieve the pressure for additional library and teaching space. These buildings will add a total of 88,000 square feet to the plant. The buildings are of excellent construction. The maximum service

## MC Grads Around World

By Dr. Howard F. Spell  
Dean, Mississippi College

A keen desire for service to mankind has been inculcated in Mississippi College graduates since its founding in 1826. This is evidenced by the types of professions and vocations chosen by those who have graduated from the institution.

Being a Baptist college, Mississippi College has naturally contributed many men of importance to the denomination. Virtually no town in Mississippi is without at least one church pastored by a Mississippi College-trained minister. But service in this capacity is not limited to the state; Mississippi College graduates pastor strategic churches throughout Southern Baptist Convention territory. Administrative positions in Mississippi Baptist Convention and Southern Baptist Convention headquarters are held by a large number of former students.

Education is another important area of service chosen by Mississippi College alumni. At present, Mississippi College ranks third in teacher production among institutions of higher learning within the state. In the number of science teachers graduated, it ranks first. Since its beginning, Mississippi College has produced approximately 50 college and seminary presidents.

### Industry Filled

Important jobs in science for government and industry are filled by Mississippi College

can be secured from these buildings only with adequate equipment. It has been estimated that the cost of the minimum equipment for the two buildings will be \$100,000. Our immediate objective is to secure funds for this purpose.

The largest portion of these funds can be borrowed from the Federal College Housing Administration at a low rate of interest. It will be necessary, however, for the college to provide \$125,000.00 of the construction cost. This is our new building project.

Mississippi College has never faced a more challenging period. The opportunities are evident. The Baptists have the resources to meet the challenge of the new era. We must see that these resources are made available for the forward march that will carry us to new levels of achievement.



THE NEW LIBRARY BUILDING (top) and the new Fine Arts Building now under construction at Mississippi College are expected to be ready for occupancy next fall. Dedication is planned during the 1958 Mississippi Baptist Convention. The two buildings represent an investment of over \$800,000. The library will house over 110,000 volumes. The Fine Arts Building will be the most modern of its type in the state.

men. The medical profession, including physicians and dentists, claims a large number of Mississippi College graduates. In law, Mississippi College graduates have a very enviable reputation. They have been active from the country lawyer level to the highest state offices. Seats on the state supreme court and the post of attorney general have been held by graduates. Two judges and the chief justice of the present Mississippi Supreme Court are Mississippi College alumni.

### Business Areas

It would be impossible to list all the business areas in which graduates of the school have interests. Mississippi College alumni have also made their mark in the field of journalism. The manager of a professional baseball club is also included among the graduates.

These are just a sampling of statistics that could be amassed to prove that Mississippi College produces versatile and responsible citizens in innumerable areas of endeavor who have made worthwhile contributions to the progress and well-being of mankind.

But the most important contributions of Mississippi College are still ahead. As Mississippi College continues to attract and stimulate quality students, and to offer a sound educational program based on Christian tenets, it is only reasonable to expect Mississippi College to enhance its reputation by even greater contributions in all areas of service to God and man.

## MC History Highlighted

By REV. J. L. BOYD  
Clinton, Secretary Miss.  
Baptist Historical Com.

Colleges in the United States."

### First Commencement

In mid-December, 1831, the first commencement was held when two young women were graduated out of a class of eight, followed with larger numbers graduating till the "Panic of 1837" almost put an end to the school. It flourished again in 1840's under Presbyterian management, but in 1850 had declined and turned back to town of Clinton.

The Baptists of the state were casting about to make a second attempt in Christian education when the citizens of Clinton offered them Mississippi College then valued at \$11,000.00. The offer was gladly accepted and the first session under Baptist control opened on October 1, 1851, when seventeen boys under college grade enrolled. (Female department discontinued.)

### Confident Future

The college then faced the future with confidence and despite epidemics of yellow fever and the agitation of removal to Meridian reached another climax in 1932 with Jennings, Ratliff, Chrestman, Lowrey (Library), Alumni Halls and Fall-Hall Hospital added, the endowment increased to \$632,734.00, and the enrollment at 360 students.

Session of 1956-57 had 2070 students enrolled — 1154 male and 916 female. Under construction at the present time, are a library and Fine Arts building with estimated cost of \$500,000.



Recent Aerial View of Mississippi College Campus



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## The Spirit Of Youth

Most of us adults have a built-in reflex action which causes us to under-rate young people.

We parents have some kind of protective instinct that, foolishly, seeks to prepare the way for our children, when we ought to be much more concerned with preparing them for the way.

In a discussion of "The World We Want" at the New York Herald Tribune Youth Forum, an 18-year-old representative from the Philippines made the following statement which catches up much of modern youth's enthusiasm:

"Usually, when I discuss with people the kind of world we want, they astonish me by describing a Utopia without cares. As for me, I like this world we have. I like living in this century — so full of strivings and plans that I feel part of a wonderful and exciting experiment. I like the suspense which gives to life its only true zest. Let me have this world, with dreams for me to dream and problems for me to solve.

"If I had lived before the A- and H-bombs I might be less optimistic of the future. But today I have great hope that we shall enjoy peace, for I feel deeply that no nation will start a war which none can possibly survive.

"I believe that this world we have deserves a vote of confidence. With its dirt and cleanness, its ups and downs and its total unexpectedness, it has given, through variety, more pleasure than pain. Whatever else it may be, this particular century is still the broadest, the most exciting, the most promising of all.

"May this world always be as challenging as it is. May it always have something to be solved, patched or mended. But above all, may this world never be a soft place for soft people with soft heads. For I want a world where a man, by facing his troubles, can prove his manhood. With a world of such challenge and scope, our lives will never be complacent, but they will certainly be worth living."

## United Church Dangers

The Watchman-Examiner

Unexpected counsel was given by Archbishop of Canterbury Geoffrey Fisher to the British Council of Churches when he warned of the dangers that would be involved if every branch of the church were united. Dr. Fisher is highly respected for his realism and wisdom in the field of church relations. He warned that power is dynamite. "You can also realize what a terrible danger we ourselves could be in," he told an audience of 3,000 at a public meeting. "I mean this sincerely, because if we were all one and united, the danger of the freedom to differ from the majority in power would be threatened, and there has always been in the history of the world a great value in minorities and differences of opinion.

Please God some day there will be a united church—in some sense united. But it will not come until we are all strong enough in the Christian faith to bear with one another's differences and to refuse to exterminate them by force. . . . We are not yet fit enough in the sight of God to be a completely united church." In these words from one who has been president of the World Council of Churches we do not have a negation of that body which, Dr. Fisher said, has achieved international usefulness of high importance.

It is simply, in our view, a restatement of the Protestant attitude, in view of the power coveted by and the aims of the Roman Catholic Church. Christian history teaches the important lesson that when religious power is cornered by a hierarchy there emerges a tyrannical control over the minds of the people. The spirit of cooperation now motivating much of Protestantism is not a prelude to disciplined uniformity. While free men live that cannot happen again.

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## Quotables

SELECTED BY THE EDITOR FROM CONTEMPORARY THOUGHT AND OPINION

The human race began with Adam. It is quite possible that it could end with Atom.—Grady C. Glenn.

Faith makes the uplook good, the outlook bright, the inlook favorable and the future glorious.—John E. Southard.

So often it is the case that the first screw to get loose in a person's head is the one that controls the tongue.—Anon

"Sometimes it is better to have loved and lost than to do the homework of three children."—Dan Bennett.

Only he who can see the invisible can do the impossible.—Frank Gaines, Forbes.

"For anything worth having, one must pay the price; and the price is always work, patience, love, self-sacrifice—no paper currency, no promises to pay, but the gold of real service."—John Burroughs.

"You are fast becoming what you are going to be."—Survey Bulletin.

No horse gets anywhere until he is harnessed. No steam or gas ever drives anything until it is confined. No Niagara is ever turned into light and power until it is tunneled. No life ever grows great until it is focused, dedicated, disciplined.—Harry Emerson Fosdick.

Our greatest need is spiritual power, spiritual discernment, direct contact with the Heavenly Father. As he guides us in the solution of daily problems, you will have part in our work if you are praying for us.—Edgar F. Hallock, Jr., missionary to South Brazil.

"If you bought yourself a ten-cent ice cream cone every day of the year, you would have spent the same amount the average Baptist will give per day to his church during the same time."—Baptist and Reflector.

You can't fool all the people all the time—some of them are fooling you!—Maurice Seitter.



To Keep in Mind as We 'Lay Claim' to Space

## The Baptist Forum

## A Cup Of Cold Water

As I see it, the greatest problem that confront you and me as Christian men and women, the greatest problem that confront our Churches of today is that of presenting the Christ, the living Christ.

It's a mighty fine thing to be able to pat ourselves on our backs and say we have good Churches; we have well organized Sunday Schools; we are doing a good work teaching and training; we are adding great numbers to our ranks. I say, all of this is mighty fine, but unless we are doing some of those things which remind men and women, boys and girls of Jesus, we are not getting very far in the Kingdom of God.

It was said of a young man who is now a faithful Minister of the Gospel and who was brought up in a good pious home under careful rearing. When he heard his Pastor preach upon the Ten Commandments, he did not feel disturbed. Like the rich young ruler, he felt perfectly safe and secure from all these, but when Jesus was held up to him, he said to himself, "If that is what I ought to be, God be merciful unto me a sinner."

Now, I have said all of that in order that I may say this: I am afraid we sometimes pray that God may help us to accomplish some great and mighty task when we ought rather to pray that He may teach us how to give a cup of cold water in Jesus' name.

C. H. Touchberry Sr.  
344 Orlando  
Greenville, Miss.

## WMU Feature

May I for Woman's Missionary Union express our sincere appreciation to you, Mr. Abrams, and your staff for your very fine presentation of Woman's Missionary Union's personnel and work in yesterday's Baptist Record. Each article is one to be treasured through the years, not only for your sympathetic understanding of what Baptist women pray to do for the cause of Christian missions, but also as evidence of the fine spirit of unity and cooperation in Baptist life here in Mississippi. We do thank you.

Mrs. J. T. Lyons  
Box 358  
McComb, Miss.

## Dobbins At Zurich

On May 2 I plan to leave for Zurich, Switzerland, and after a week of "seminars" there with Baptist pastors and others I shall be on a tour of the Continent and the British Isles. On invitation of the Baptist European Federation, Dr. Walter Woodbury, for many years Secretary of Evangelism of the American Baptist Convention, and I will serve as "resource persons" in the evangelistic crusade and Christian Education campaign to be conducted in strategic centers of Britain and Europe this summer.

There is a rising tide of interest in soul-winning and Bible teaching and membership training among all Baptist groups of the world. Our Commission of the Baptist World Alliance is making studies and conducting conferences in the interest of

this movement. I shall record many interviews and gather much valuable and interesting data.

Following the summer tour, I shall be located at Zurich until December, teaching for a semester in Ruschlikon Seminary, returning to take up my work at Golden Gate the second semester.

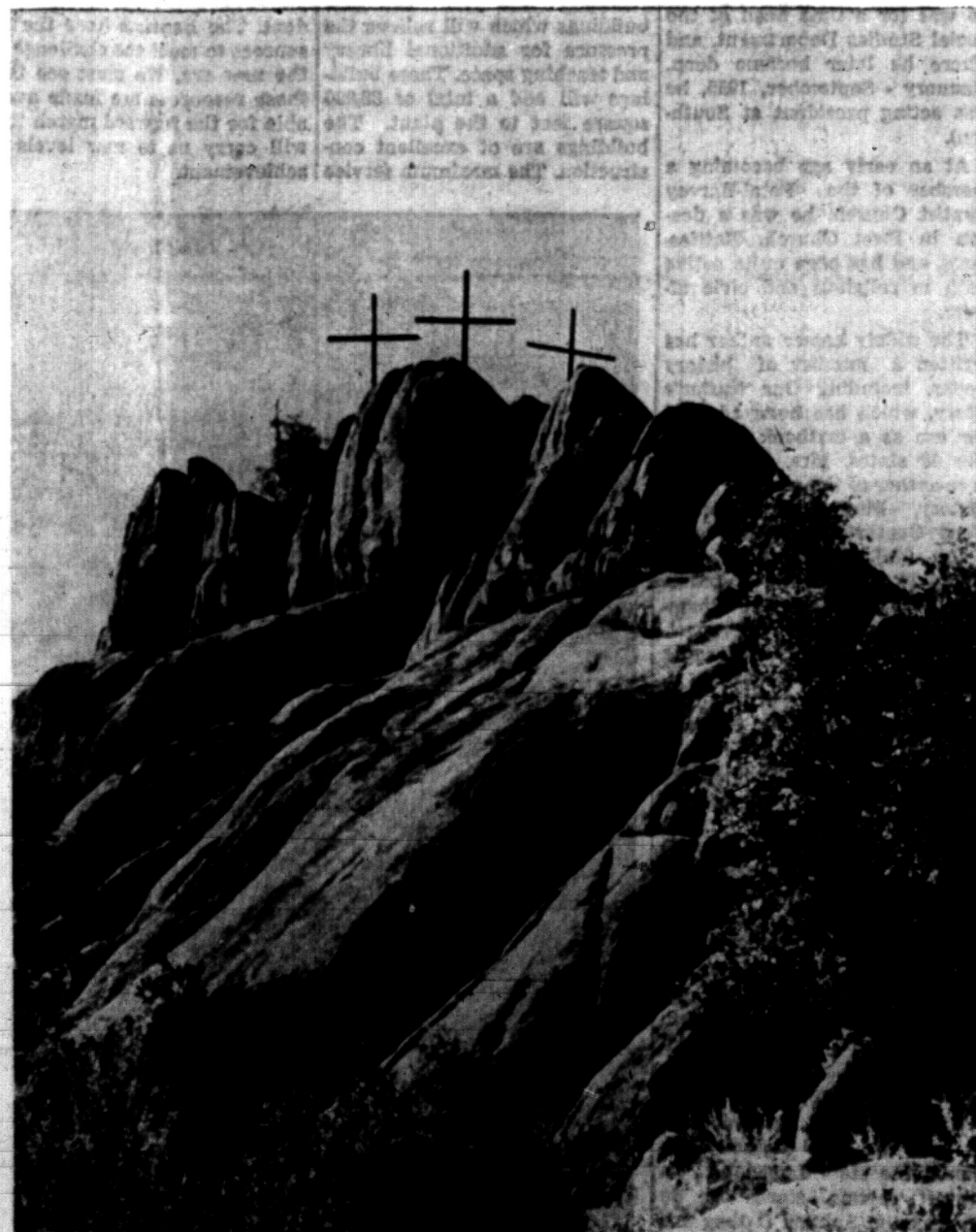
Gaines S. Dobbins  
Golden Gate Baptist Seminary, 1908 Addison  
Berkeley, California

## Administrator

I read with a great deal of interest your article in the Baptist Record about the opening of the Baptist Hospital at Guadalajara, Mexico. It just occurred to me that you might be interested in the fact that the young man who is to become administrator of the hospital is James C. Ware, who is completing his residency in hospital administration at Baptist Memorial Hospital. He is certainly an example of what Christian education means in our mission program. He is a graduate of Louisiana College, one of our state Baptist schools, the New Orleans Seminary, and now the program in hospital administration at Baptist Memorial Hospital. We are quite proud of him.

Brother Ware is an outstanding consecrated Christian gentleman who assumes his position with unusually fine training for this work.

Frank S. Groner  
Administrator Baptist Memorial Hospital  
Memphis, Tennessee.



THE THREE CROSSES.—But from me to glory except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. . . (Ga. 6:14 RSV)—(Religious News Service Photo).

SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIETY  
FORMED BY BAPTISTS

LONDON, September 5, 1785 (BP) — With the Bible as the principal textbook, a Baptist Sunday School Society was formed here today at the Paul's Head Tavern. The society will organize schools to provide secular and religious education for children.

William Fox, a deacon of the Prescott Street Baptist Church, has led in the formation of the society. Both Anglicans and Dissenters form the administrative committee of the new organization.

The Baptist society plans to support a number of Sunday

schools in England, paying for teachers, spelling books, Bibles, and Testaments. Children will receive instruction free.

## Opposition

There is much opposition to the Sunday schools, especially from the privileged classes. Some fear that if the children are educated they will no longer be willing to work with their hands or to submit to authority. Teaching the youngsters to write is regarded as particularly dangerous.

The Baptist Sunday Schools are patterned after those of Robert Raikes, generally regarded as the founder of Sunday schools. Raikes first established his schools about five years ago for the ignorant children of Gloucester.

As the children work long hours during the week in factories and elsewhere, Sunday is only time they have for studies. On their free day the waifs are led into Raikes' schools where they are given secular and religious training.

## Follow Raikes

Fox's schools follow the Raikes plan in that children will be taught to read and write. The Sunday School Society's religious instruction will be limited to the Bible, however, whereas Raikes' schools use catechisms.

While English Baptists have been active in promoting many social reforms, their interest in education has not been pronounced until now. Many Baptist leaders, including Hanserd Knollys, Dan Taylor, and others, have directed attention to this need, however.

The Sunday school idea is not new, schools for religious instruction having been in existence since Old Testament times. But it remained for Robert Raikes, an editor and publisher, to revive interest of the churches in providing religious training for children.

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Ministers' Wives  
Meeting Changed

HOUSTON, Texas — The meeting of the Minister's Wives Conference at Houston has been changed from Thursday, May 22 to Wednesday, May 21. Hours are 3 to 5 P. M.

The meeting place remains the same, River Oaks Baptist Church. Transportation will be furnished from the Coliseum to the church and back to the Coliseum.

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## Counselor's Corner

By DR. R. LOFTON HUDSON  
Author of the book, FOR OUR AGE OF ANXIETY, which you may purchase at your Baptist Book Store.

## HAIR CUT FOR MINISTER'S WIFE

QUESTION: I am a minister's wife and my husband is on a small salary. My health has been bad due to several minor operations. My hair became lifeless and I was advised to have it cut and have a few permanent wave curls put on the side and top, and many tell me that it is very becoming.

Recently, some leaders in the church jumped all over me about this. One asked me if I had never read what Paul said about short hair. What should I do?

ANSWER: The Apostle Paul would have been very ashamed of your church members. He was merely trying to get the Christians to follow customs that became godliness in their day. He very plainly says that "if any man seem to be contentious, we have no such custom, neither the churches of God." (1 Cor. 11:16).

It is strange how some church members take it upon themselves to judge other people.

The only thing I know to do is to have the courage to stand on your own feet and think for yourself in such matters.

Why shouldn't a minister's wife look as pretty as she can? To be pious is not the same as being plain and drab.

It sometimes takes a very tough skin to be a pastor's wife. But most people understand. Think of them.

(Address questions to Dr. Hudson, 116 West 47th St., Kansas City 12, Mo.)

Buckner Orphans  
Presented Mascot

DALLAS (BP) — Children at Buckner Orphans' Home here have a reminder of Navy's 20-7 victory over Rice in the Cotton Bowl Jan. 1. It's the goat Navy had as their mascot while in Dallas for the game.

Texas Bill, as the goat was named, served as a temporary mascot for the sailors. In the future, he will be the mascot to inspire the athletes at the Baptist orphans' home.

Rear Adm. W. R. Smedberg III, superintendent of the U. S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., presented the mascot to Buckner. The goat was raised on a west Texas ranch.

The blanket Texas Bill wore in the Cotton Bowl also will be kept by Buckner—after it's dry cleaned.

## Calendar Of Prayer

March 31 — C. A. Kinnison, Yazoo, Associational Training Union Director.

April 1 — Floyd Newman, Sharkey - Issaquena Associational Brotherhood Pres.; G. P. Brown, Simpson Associational Brotherhood Pres.

April 2 — Lester Janes, Tippah Associational Missionary; W. B. Boatner, Union Associational Missionary.

April 3 — W. E. Strange, Mississippi College faculty; Mrs. J. R. Tillery, Seminary Extension Department.

April 4 — Joe Odle, Baptist Building; Marjean Patterson, Baptist Building.

April 5 — Miss Mildred Mullikin, Blue Mountain College faculty; T. E. Lee, Clarke College faculty.

April 6 — Ray Hood, William Carey faculty; Betty Jeane Weeks; B. S. U. Director, M. S. C. W.

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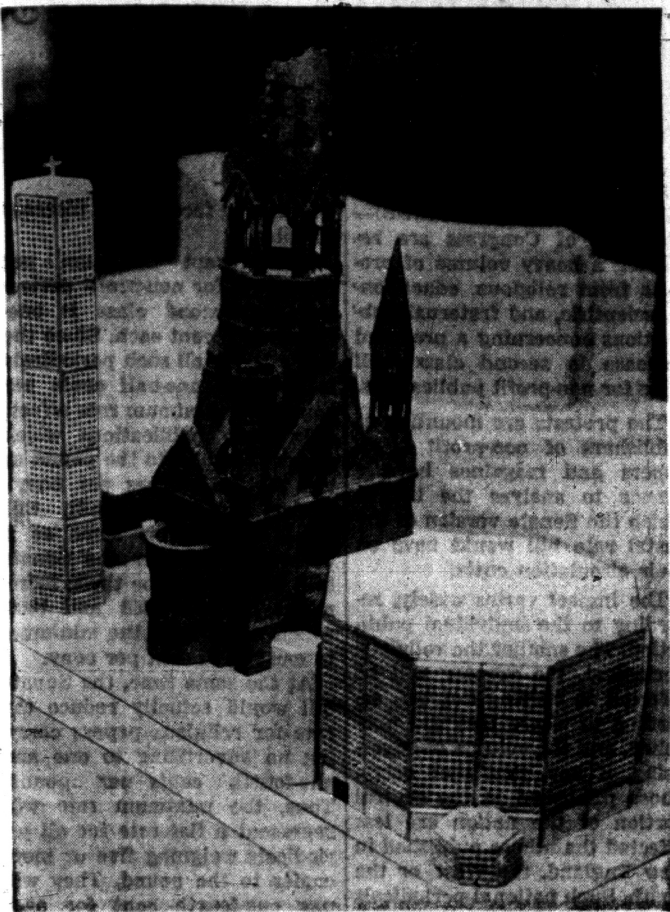
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**WAR-BOMBED FAMED BERLIN CHURCH LEFT STANDING**—Berlin—This model shows how the war-bombed Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial church here—one of Berlin's best loved landmarks—will look after its new "additions" are built. The shattered ruins will stand between a new octagonal church and its separate tower. The Protestant church was dedicated in 1897 as a memorial to Kaiser Wilhelm I, who died in 1888.—(RNS Photo).

## Names In The News

Spence McClain, Youth Director for the past 26 months at First Church, Gulfport, has resigned to become Minister of Education and Youth at First Church, Brookhaven.

Gladys Clement, educational secretary at First Church, Jackson, wrote "Foolish Fancies," a fellowship program for Young People featured in the April issue of "The Baptist Training Union Magazine."

Mrs. T. W. Hill, Jackson; E. D. Estes, Jackson; Rev. W. P. Blair, Mize; Tom Moak, Crystal Springs; W. A. Hogan, Pensacola, Fla.; Johnny Biggs, Erie, Williams, Donnie Hopkins, and Ann Hogan, Clinton; Rev. Henry C. Walker, Jackson; Rev. Marcus Smith, Meridian; and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Burke, Vicksburg, were among recent visitors in the Baptist Building.

Rev. S. W. Valentine on March 16 observed his eleventh anniversary as pastor of Southside Church, Jackson.

## Eight Added At Bethsaida Church

Bethsaida Church, Neshoba County, reports a successful stewardship revival with Evangelist B. S. Hilbun doing the preaching, and Rev. S. E. Nix, pastor, leading the singing.

There were eight additions to the church, four on profession of faith and four by letter.

## Corinth Revival

Corinth Church in Lamar County will hold revival services March 30-April 5, with Rev. Douglas Rouse, pastor of the Bouie Street Church, Hattiesburg, as the evangelist.

The pastor, Rev. William H. Ponder, will lead the singing.

## Burnsville Revival

Rev. Grady Goodman, pastor of Second Church, Leland, will do the preaching for the spring revival to be held at Burnsville Church March 30-April 6, with services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. J. D. Joslin is pastor.

## East Moss Point Dedicates Building

The East Moss Point Church will dedicate its building debt free Sunday, March 30.

The building was erected under the ministry of Rev. Zeno Wells and was completed in 1952. It is valued at \$150,000.

The Church has had 567 additions in the past four years, has bought new pews for the auditorium, and has air conditioned the entire plant.

A revival has just closed with 31 additions. The Evangelist was Rev. Jimmy O'Quinn of Garland, Texas.

The present pastor is Rev. John Hilbun. (He succeeded Rev. Montie Davis.) The Minister of Music and Education is Robert Nations.

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# Texas Is Filled With Points Of Interest To Baptists

HOUSTON — (BP) — From the Southern Baptist Convention city of Houston this May, you can drive in any direction and see the influence of Southern Baptist churches and their members.

For instance take Houston itself. There you will find the third oldest Baptist church in Texas which is still in existence. It is the First Baptist Church, organized in 1841 with nine members. More than 5,800 now belong to the church with property valued at \$1½ million.

Also in Houston is Memorial Hospital. Begun in 1907 as a 17-bed hospital it has grown to its present capacity of 535 beds.

Baylor College of Medicine is located in Houston. Its fall enrollment was 335. In addition, Texas Baptist haven for the aged, which cares for 24 residents, is in the same city.

Drive south on U. S. 75 the 50 miles to Galveston. There you will find the second oldest Baptist church still in operation.

First Baptist Church of Galveston was organized in 1840. The current membership is 3,924 with \$500,000 in church property.

Further west along the Gulf of Mexico is Corpus Christi. Located there is the University of Corpus Christi, a Baptist school with an enrolment of 572 students.

Other Baptist points of interest in the state include:

Harlingen — Valley Baptist Hospital, 153 beds.

Beeville (on Texas SR-359) — South Texas Children's Home, 96 children.

San Antonio — Baptist Memorial Hospital, Mexican Baptist Orphans Home, Bethesda Home for unwed mothers.

The children's home at San Antonio can take care of up to 120 children. Baptist Memorial Hospital admitted 21,900 patients last year, which placed it 75th out of 6956 hospitals in the nation in number of patients admitted. 48 girls received care at the Bethesda Home last year.

Burnet (on Texas SR-281) — Buckner Boys' Ranch. Here 105 boys have been provided for.

Waco — Home of Baylor University, world's largest Baptist college. Founded in 1845, Baylor has a present enrollment of 6123. It has branches in Houston and in Dallas. Also located at Waco is Hillcrest Hospital.

Fort Worth — Southwestern Baptist Seminary, largest evangelical seminary in the world, is located here. Nearly 2500 students were there last year. This also is home of the Radio and TV Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Dallas — The Baptist General Convention of Texas has its offices in Dallas.

Offices of the Southern Baptist Relief and Annals Board and of the evangelism department of the Home Mission Board also are here. Buckner Orphans Home is at Dallas, caring for about 700 children. Other Baptist points of interest: Baylor's dental school, Baylor Hospital, and Mary E. Frew home for the aged.

Independence — The oldest Texas Baptist church still existing is at Independence (12 miles north of Brenham). This church was founded in 1839. (Brenham is on U. S. 290 in the Houston area.)

Abilene — Hardin - Simmons University, Hendrick Memorial Hospital.

Brownwood (U. S. 67-84-183) — Mary Hardin-Baylor College, the oldest woman's college west of the Mississippi River operated by an evangelical faith, is here.

Decatur (U. S. 81-287 near Fort Worth) — Decatur Junior College.

Plainview (U. S. 70-87 in panhandle) — Wayland Baptist College.

Marshall (U. S. 80 near Louisiana line) — East Texas Baptist College.

San Marcos (U. S. 81 between Austin and San Antonio) — San Marcos Academy, the only academy in the South offering 12 full years of scholastic work.

Round Rock (U. S. 79-81 near Austin) — Texas Baptist Children's Home.

Lubbock — Milam Home for girls.

San Angelo (U. S. 67-87 in West Texas) — The only denominationally owned geriatrics hospital — Geriatric Memorial Hospital — in the world is located here.

## Woman's Missionary Union

President—MRS. J. T. LYONS, McComb  
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## WMU SPECIAL DAY

May 5

Theme: LOVE SERVES

### Offering Objectives

Mississippi Missionary Appointees Equipment	\$ 1,800.00
Aged Ministers and Widows of Aged Ministers	3,000.00
Camp Garaywa	7,000.00
Workshops and Conferences	2,225.00
Scholarships (College and Hospital)	1,325.00
Carver School Scholarships (2)	800.00
Seminary Scholarships (5)	2,000.00
Educational Fund for Foreign Students	1,200.00
Margaret Fund Love Gifts	400.00
Houseparty for International Students	750.00
Goal	\$20,500.00

Program material and offering envelopes will be mailed soon to WMU presidents, BWC Chairmen and YWA counselors. The GA counselors will receive suggestions by the middle of April.

## CAMP GARAYWA

### SCHEDULE — 1958 — YOUTH CAMPS

June 2-7—Junior GA Camp (any age)—(\$13.50—Registration \$2.00)
June 9-14—Junior GA Camp—9 and 10 year old GA's only—(\$13.50—Registration \$2.00).
June 16-21—Tween Teen Camp—11 and 12 year old GA's only—(\$13.50—Registration \$2.00).
June 23-28—Intermediate GA Camp—(\$14.50—Registration \$2.00).
June 28-30—Queen's Court—(\$5.50—Registration \$2.00).
July 1-10—Intermediate GA Camp (2 week)—(\$27.50—Registration \$5.00).
July 10-13—YWA Conference—(\$7.50—Registration \$2.00).
July 14-19—Intermediate GA Camp—(\$14.50—Registration \$2.00).
July 21-26—Tween Teen Camp—11 and 12 year old GA's only—(\$13.50—Registration \$2.00).
July 28-Aug. 2—Junior GA Camp—9 and 10 year old GA's only—(\$13.50—Registration \$2.00).
August 4-9—Junior GA Camp (any age)—(\$13.50—Registration \$2.00).
August 11-16—Junior GA Camp (any age)—(\$13.50—Registration \$2.00).

### FACTS OF INTEREST ABOUT WORKING WOMEN

These facts presented from a study made by the manpower commission of the U. S. government should increase our efforts to enlist these employed women.

- 1/2 of all women in the United States 14 years of age or over are in the labor force in any given month.
- 3 out of every 10 married women work.
- 2 out of every 5 mothers whose children are out of school age work.
- 9 out of every 10 women work at some period of their lives.
- 6 out of 10 women workers are married.
- 1/4 of the nation's income in wages is earned by women.
- 1/2 of all college graduates 25 years of age or over are women.
- 1/2 of women workers are under 25 years of age; 1/2 are over 45 years of age.
- Between 1940 and 1950 the labor force increased by 8.6 million, of which women formed 55 per cent of the net growth.
- Between 1950 and 1956 male labor rose by 1.2 million or 3 per cent. Female labor rose by 3.1 million or 17 per cent.

## Giant Gulf Coast Mission Rally Scheduled For Gulfport April 17

1,500 people are expected to attend a giant Gulf Coast Missions Rally to be held April 17 at the First Church in Gulfport.

Principal speakers will be Dr. Courts Redford, executive secretary, Home Mission Board, Atlanta, and Mrs. Sam Mayo, Home Board missionary to the migrants.

Special music will be rendered by a combined choir of singers from the association.

The entire families of Baptist people are urged to attend. Also fellow-Baptists of the Pascagoula, Picayune, Wiggins, and Hattiesburg areas have been invited as guests.

Each church is being asked to accept an attendance goal of 15 per cent of its total membership.

A special service for Beginners and Primaries will be planned. The children will not be dismissed from this service until their parents call for them. The nurseries of the host church will be open to care for the younger children.

### Banners Awarded

Two banners will be awarded.



Courts Redford

ed. One will go to the church with a membership less than 500 which has the highest percentage of members present.

The second banner will be awarded to the church with a membership of 500 or more which has the highest percentage of members present.

Every church is urged to pray that this meeting may have a genuine and great spiritual impact — preparing for a more vital part in the Thirty Thousand Movement, helping to become ready in heart for the 1959 evangelistic effort, and calling youth to the challenge of world missions.

## Pastor To Preach In Antioch Revival

Pastor I. E. Boggs will bring the messages at a revival to be held at Antioch Church in Neshoba County, March 27-30. Services will be held nightly at 8:00, with an 11:00 a. m. service on Sunday. Sermon subjects include "God, Omnipotent, Omnipresent, Omnipotent," "What is Man," "The Reality of Hell," "The Messiah," and "The Church."



Dr. H. Leo Eddleman

## Easter Sunday Marks Two Events At Calvary

Dr. H. Leo Eddleman will be the preacher for the revival in Calvary Church, Jackson, beginning Easter Sunday. Dr. Eddleman is a native of this state and a graduate of Mississippi College. He is a graduate of the Southern Seminary and has taught both in the Southern and New Orleans Seminaries. He served one term as a missionary in the "Holy Land" area. Since 1954 he has been president of Georgetown College in Kentucky.

Easter Sunday will also be "Open House" day for Calvary's new educational and activities building. Dr. James L. Sullivan will be the guest preacher for both morning services. The new building was occupied on March 16. Open House for the public will be held on Easter Sunday afternoon.

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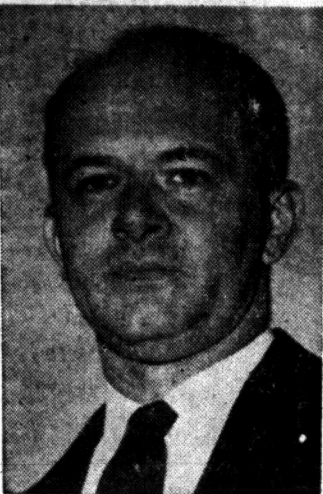
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## Child Conferences Set Apr. 14-18



Paul Cable

Dr. Paul E. Cable of Clinton will be the principal program personality for a series of Child Development Conferences scheduled for April 14-18, according to Miss Carolyn Madison, ele-

mentary secretary of the Sunday School Department, sponsor of the meetings.

Dr. Cable is professor of education and psychology at Mississippi College and has had experience as an elementary teacher in the day schools.

Those urged to attend the conference most convenient are all workers in the Cradle Roll, Nursery, Beginner and Primary departments and parents of the children.

The complete schedule follows: April 14, First Church, Hattiesburg; 15, Highland, Meridian; 16, Parkway, Jackson; 17, First, Houston; and 18, First, Batesville.

The Parkway, Jackson, conference will be from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. while all the others will be 4 p. m. and 9 p. m.

Those attending are asked to bring sandwiches. The host church will provide drinks.



**OPEN HOUSE FOR PARKWAY LIBRARY**—Open House observing the relocation of Hederman Library at Parkway Church, Jackson, was held last Sunday. The new location is in the air-conditioned Children's Building. The library was begun in 1943 with a gift of 1,150 volumes from the Hederman family who were guests Sunday. Left to right: Dr. G. Norman Price, pastor; R. M. Hederman, Jr.; T. M. Hederman, Jr.; Zack Hederman; Henry Hederman; Arnold Hederman; and Curtis Beard, educational director of the church.



Rev. Charles Holifield

## Southside Begins Revival March 30

Revival services will begin at the Southside Church, Jackson, Sunday, March 30, and continue through Friday, April 4, according to Pastor S. W. Valentine.

Rev. Charles Holifield, pastor, Calvary Church, Waynesboro, will be the evangelist.

Week-day services will be held nightly at 7:30, with a daily radio broadcast on Station WJDX each morning at 11:05. Sunday services will be held at 8:30 a. m., (which will be broadcast over Radio Station WJDX) 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., (which will be broadcast over Radio Station WRBC).

Music for the services will be under the direction of Robert Spencer, Southside Minister of Music. Special music will be presented by the church choir with Mrs. Ralph E. Jackson as organist and Ralph E. Jackson as pianist.



Dr. H. W. Roberson

## Pearl Evangelist

Pearl Church, Rankin County, will hold a revival meeting April 13-20, with Dr. H. W. Roberson, pastor of the Fairhope, Ala. Baptist Church, preaching and Rev. Billy Joe Pierce of Grenada leading the singing.

Dr. Roberson is a former pastor of the Pearson, Puckett, and Brandon Churches of Rankin County. He has pastored at Lexington, Vicksburg, and Greenville, before going to Ala. five years ago.

Rev. Billy Pierce is a student at Mississippi College and pastor of the Friendship Church, Grenada. Rev. Carl E. Talbert is pastor.

## Beulah (Choctaw) Calls Pastor

Beulah Church in Choctaw Association called as their pastor, Rev. Simon D. Butler of Sturgis.

Butler succeeds Rev. Odell Fish who has gone to serve the Baptist Church in Plains, Kansas.

## FOREIGN MISSION BOARD REPORTS TO THE PEOPLE

### Foreign Board Appoints Eight for Mission Work

The first Southern Baptist foreign missionary appointees of 1958 were dedicated at the March meeting of the Foreign Mission Board. The four couples brought the total number of active Southern Baptist foreign missionaries to 1,188. They are:

C. S. (Bob) Boatwright and Betty Faith Williams Boatwright, both of Georgia, appointed for Japan; G. Clayton Bond, Louisiana, and Helen Terry Bond, Kentucky, for Africa; Gilbert A. Nichols and Mabel Deane (Deanie) Marshall Nichols, both of Arkansas, for Paraguay; and F. Gilbert Ross and Carolyn O'Brien Ross, both of Texas, for Mexico.

The Foreign Mission Board expects to appoint 130 missionaries this year.

### Dr. Cauthen Stresses Need for Missionaries

Dr. Baker J. Cauthen, executive secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, reported on a recent trip to Mexico and Equatorial Brazil. "A visit to the Equatorial Mission of Brazil is an unforgettable experience," he said. "The area is so great and the needs are so many that one is impressed with the vast possibilities of service."

"It is of great urgency that we strengthen the missionary staff in the Equatorial Mission as early as possible. Tragical losses have occurred from death and other causes; and the number of missionaries is sadly depleted. The death of Missionary John S. Oliver in a plane crash has done much to deepen the spiritual tone of the church where he ministered and has brought to all the Mission a fresh sense of commitment to Christ and his will."

"Observations growing out of this need in Equatorial Brazil have strengthened our conviction that we must press forward with increasing missionary personnel without delay. The secret of world missions advance is life dedication."

"We must address ourselves afresh to prayer and to testimony in order that many young people may give themselves to this labor. We must keep in mind that it is much easier to give money and other lesser gifts than to give life itself. It is necessary that life be laid upon the altar in order that this enterprise may be accomplished."

### Dr. Thomas E. McCollough Elected to Seminary Staff

The Foreign Mission Board approved the action taken by the faculty of the Baptist Theological Seminary, of Ruschlikon, Zurich, Switzerland, in electing Dr. Thomas E. McCollough, of the religion department of Stetson University, De Land, Fla., to its staff. He will be professor of theology. Mrs. McCollough is the former Mary Lee Rankin, daughter of the late Dr. M. Theron Rankin and Mrs. Rankin.

### Board Treasurer to Visit Latin-American Missions

The Board asked Treasurer Everett L. Deane to make a trip to Latin America for the purpose of consultation with the treasurers of all the Missions in that area. Mr. Deane will leave April 18 and return June 7.

### Word from Romania

Dr. George W. Sadler, representative for Europe, reported receipt of a letter from a Baptist pastor in Romania. This is

the first direct communication the Foreign Mission Board has received from Baptists of that country since the beginning of World War II. Dr. Sadler said, "Romania has been more closed than Russia," he added.

Among other things the letter said: "We are all well. The Lord's work is going on well. We are teaching in the seminary." The writer is a professor in the Baptist theological seminary in Bucharest.

The last paragraph of the letter gives an indication of the lack of communication. It says, "Please give my best wishes and kindest regards to Dr. Rankin." (Dr. M. Theron Rankin, former executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board, died in 1953.)

### Crawley Discusses Orient Seminars

The March report of Dr. J. Winston Crawley, the Board's secretary for the Orient, was one in a series on the various elements of Southern Baptist mission work in Asia. Previous reports have emphasized the planning and strengthening of New Testament churches as the central mission objective.

"But the objective cannot be attained by direct evangelism alone, even when direct evangelism is understood in its broadest sense," Dr. Crawley said. "There are two kinds of institutional mission work which are essentially related to indigenous churches. One is theological seminary work for the training of national leadership for the churches; and the other is publication work to provide the churches with proper tools for evangelism and religious education. These two elements, in one form or another, must be available to every mission area."

"Of our 10 Orient mission areas, eight have formal seminary work. We have no such work in Hawaii because young people from the Islands attend our seminaries here in the States. In Pakistan our actual program of work has not yet begun, but we shall probably need to plan for formal training of church leadership there within a few years."

"Most of these seminaries are very young. In Japan we had engaged in seminary work before World War II; but the present seminary and training school there were organized in 1947. The Hong Kong Baptist Theological Seminary opened its doors in September, 1951. The others are even younger."

"All the Orient seminaries except the one in Malaya now have permanent campus sites. Fair progress has been made in the assembling of faculties."

## Carey Has Good Focus Week

There were 57 rededications, one mission volunteer and one profession of faith as a result of Religious Focus Week held on the campus of Carey College, closing March 14.

An outstanding group of leaders from several states was present to lead the week which was declared to be most successful.

Wayne Stockstill was general chairman.

## Postage Increase Rates Protested

WASHINGTON, D. C. (RNS)—

Members of Congress are receiving a heavy volume of protests from religious, educational, scientific, and fraternal publications concerning a proposed increase in second class mail rates for non-profit publications.

The protests are mounting as publishers of non-profit newspapers and magazines have a chance to analyze the impact which the Senate version of the postal rate bill would have on their circulation costs.

The impact varies widely, according to the individual publication. The smaller the religious periodical, the greater will be affected in varying degrees, according to where they are published, and the volume of advertising, if any, that they carry. Those published in the central portion of the nation are less affected than those published in New England, the West, or the South. Such national periodicals as the Denver Catholic Register and the Christian Science Monitor face increases in postage charges of more than 100 percent.

### Bill Has Two Impacts

The Senate bill has two impacts: (1) it increases the minimum charge per piece and all religious periodicals which weigh less than five to a pound (3.2 ounces per copy) will be affected by this; (2) for heavier periodicals which circulate nationally, the portion devoted to

advertising faces a stiff increase in rates.

The present minimum per piece rate for non-profit periodicals in second class is one-eighth of a cent each. Since the flat rate for all such periodicals is one and one-half cents per pound, the minimum rate affects only those publications which weigh 12 copies to the pound or less (or 1 1/4 ounces per copy). Under the House bill, this would remain the same as it present, but under the Senate bill, there would be three increments in 1958, 1959 and 1960, which would raise the minimum to one-fourth cent per copy.

At the same time, the Senate bill would actually reduce the rate for religious papers carrying no advertising to one, and one-fourth cents per pound. Thus, the minimum rate will represent a flat rate for all periodicals weighing five or more copies to the pound. They will pay one-fourth cent for each copy, regardless of destination.

### Some 100%

Those publications which are so small that they are now subject to the one-eighth cent minimum will have their postage bill increased 100 percent. Those whose average weights fall between 1.25 ounces per copy and 3.2 ounces per copy face increases of varying percentages, the larger the paper, the less the increase—a factor which is causing more than a little criticism of the Senate bill.

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For the Junior Memory Work Drill use 18 references in the verse drill and 12 references in the Sword Drill. Of these 12 references four should be in the Book Drill, four in the unfinished Quotation Drill and four in the Scripture Search Drill.

For the Intermediate Sword Drill prepare 30 references, six in each of the five drills.

### TATE ENROLLS 184 IN CENTRAL TRAINING EFFORT

Rev. Billy Greene, pastor of Mt. Zion Church and Associational Training Union Director of Tate Association, led the county in a wonderful Central Training School during the week March 4-6, 1958. The sessions of this school were held at the Coldwater Baptist Church, with Rev. Bob Odenwald serving as host pastor.

Enrollment for the week reached 184 with an average attendance of 123. Classes were planned for all ages with the state Training Union Department providing the faculty for the leadership courses.

Ten churches of the association were represented in the classes during the week. These were Arkabutla, Bethel, Coldwater, Evansville, Flag Lake, Hickory Grove, Looxahoma, Mt. Zion, New Hope, and Wyatte.

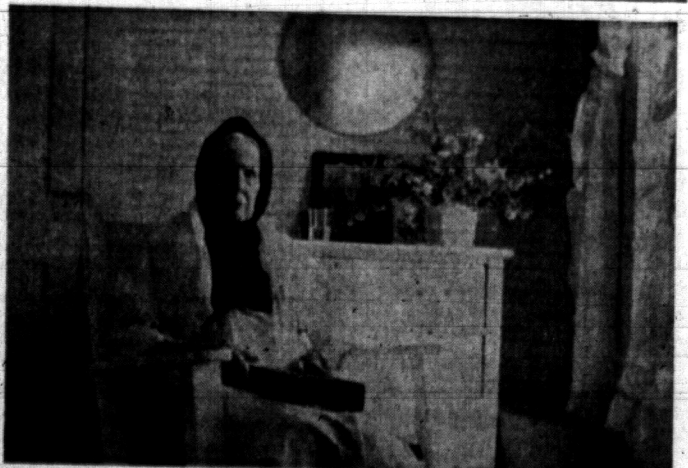
Faculty members included Mrs. Auber J. Wilds who taught the Intermediates; Rev. Billy Greene, Juniors; Rev. J. B. Costilow, Student Union Director at Clarke College, Young People; Mr. Auber J. Wilds, Approved Adult Worker, Adults; Mrs. Houston Barksdale of Dothan, Alabama, Nursery, Beginner and Primary workers Miss Neta Stewart, Junior and Intermediate workers; and Kermit S. King, General Officers.

Participating churches entertained the faculty for the noon and evening meals, either providing the meal at the church or bringing the meal to the host church.

### KITTIWAKE BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

Kittiwake Baptist Assembly is the assembly grounds of Mississippi Baptists. Three weeks have been reserved for the Baptist Training Union Department of the Mississippi Baptist Convention Board during the 1958 season. The first week is July 28-August 2; second week, August 4-9; third week August 11-15.

We would especially encourage the members of Adult Unions, general officers, and all other workers to plan to attend, along with Young People and Intermediates. Note! Juniors must be accompanied by a guardian, with no adult responsible for more than three Juniors. Mail your reservation fee of \$2.00 or write for information to Baptist Training Union Department, Box 530, Jackson, Mississippi.



**SUMMERLAND MEMBER TO BE 100**—Mrs. Martha Ann (Murray) Hollifield, known to all her acquaintances as "Aunt Ann" will celebrate her 100th birthday on April 8, 1958. She is a member of Summerland Baptist Church, Jones County, and has been a Baptist for 78 years. Open House will be held in the home of her son, Forrest, on Sunday, April 13, from 3-5 p. m. Rev. E. D. Gresham is pastor at Summerland.

## CIRCULATING

—With Joe Abrams, Associate Editor

## Six New Every-Family Plan Churches

The Circulator is happy to report six new Every-Family Plan churches to our growing roll of such churches since our last report.

All six of these came in as a result of the Two-Month Free-Trial Offer.

Any church not now in the Every-Family Plan or receiving the paper through the Free-Trial Offer is urged to consider this attractive Two-Month Free-Trial Offer that has been adopted by many churches the past few months.

For further information consult your associational superintendent of missions or write to The Baptist Record, P. O. Box 530, Jackson, Miss.

The six new churches are listed as follows:

Old Pearl Valley Church, Neshoba Association. Rev. Howard D. Smith, pastor. 19 names.

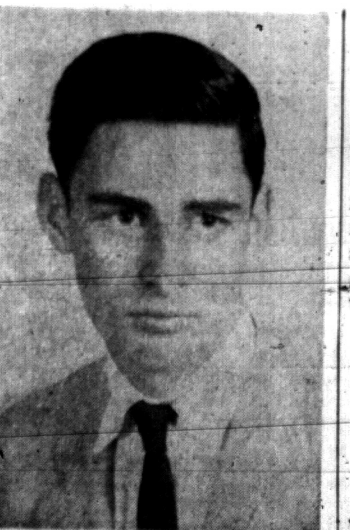
Drivers Flat Church, Calhoun Association. Rev. C. T. Schmitz, pastor. 28 names.

Mt. Zion Church, Desoto Association. Rev. James C. Redding, interim pastor. 14 names.

Alta Vista Church, Hinds Association. Rev. Billy Smith, pastor. 14 names.

Bucatunna Church, Clarke Association. Rev. E. L. Ray, pastor. 23 names.

Larue Church, Jackson Association. Rev. Burtus West, pastor. 28 names.



Rex Brown

## TED SLATES YOUTH REVIVAL

March 31—April 6, will be observed as youth week in Ted Church, Smith County. The young people, intermediates, and juniors will be in charge.

of all the activities of the week, concluding with a week-end revival.

Rex Brown, Ted community high school senior, will serve as pastor; Dan Emerson, a freshman at Clarke College, will direct the music, and Chuck Birmingham, a junior at Mississippi College, will be the evangelist for the revival. Rev. Milton Williams is pastor at Ted.

## Tate Street Plans Spring Revival

Tate Street Church, Corinth, will be in revival services Mar. 30-April 6.

Rev. Sam Reeves, of Baton Rouge, will bring the messages. He is regional secretary for the Relief and Annuity Board. Services will be held twice daily, at 7:00 A. M. and 7:30 p. m.

Music will be under the direction of the church music director, Guy Modlin. Rev. Glenn Smith is the pastor.



# Japan Baptists Increase Giving

Statistical reports of the Japan Baptist Convention for 1957 indicate gratifying growth during its 10th postwar year. Sixty-four organized churches (of which 43 are self-supporting), 37 pioneer mission chapels, and 58 other mission points make a total of 159 places where the gospel is proclaimed regularly.

There were 1,138 baptisms during the year to bring the total membership of Japan Baptist churches to 10,495, a 10 per cent increase over 1956. Of these, 6,293 are active, resident members.

Enrolment in the Sunday schools rose to 12,547 last year and the average attendance was 8,159. Training Unions enlisted 1,307 young people and adults.

**17 Pct. Increase**  
Giving showed a 17 per cent increase over 1956 for a total equivalent to \$109,638 in U. S. money. The people gave \$4,300 to their Christmas offering, sur-

passing their goal by 50 per cent. This money will help provide a pasturium and worship center in Shuri, Okinawa where Japan Baptists have foreign mission work.

In analyzing these statistics, which have recently come from the press, Missionary Edwin B. Dozier says: "The giving averages \$10.43 per member, or \$17.38 per active, resident member. Of the gifts, 15.5 per cent went to the convention's co-operative mission work and 12 per cent to capital needs.

## One-Fourth Students

"Oftentimes members of the Japan churches travel as much as one to two hours each Sunday to attend church; and because of the transportation costs they cannot give as liberally as they would like. Some stay home a Sunday or two so that they may have a more worthy offering. Perhaps one fourth of the total membership are students who have little or no earnings. And another one fourth are Christian wives of non-Christian husbands.

"Preachers of the Japan Baptist Convention give their full time to the ministry instead of looking about for a job on the side, to support their families. Modest salaries are not burdens to the congregations, but challenges."

## Adams Body Commends Board

The Baptist Record is in receipt of a copy of a letter from the Executive Committee of the Adams County Association to the Home Mission Board commending the Board on "its choice of Brothers W. J. Hughes and John P. Hill for work with the Board."

The letter further stated that "we regret their leaving our association but rejoice with you in their decision to work with you."

It was signed by Ray Megginson, moderator, and Ellis O. Smith, clerk.

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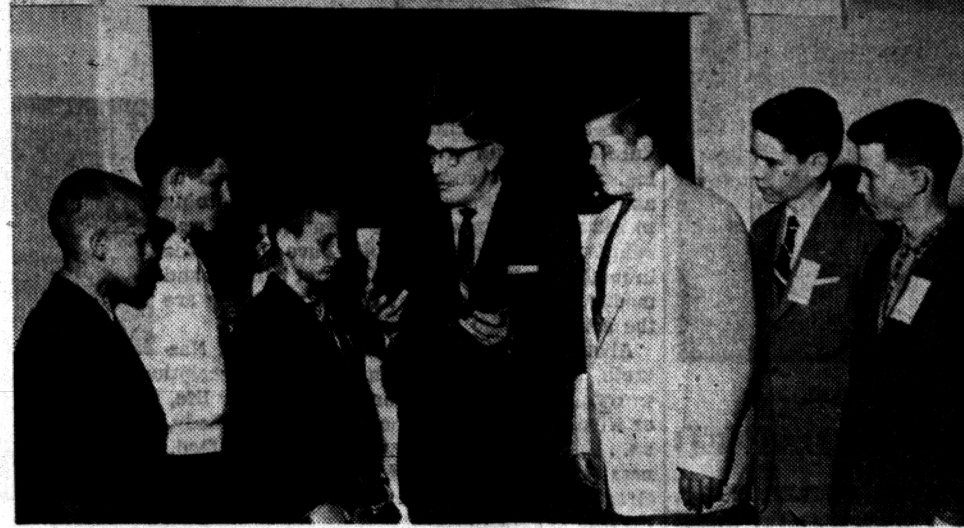
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**R. A.'S SEE OBJECTS FROM ARGENTINA**—Rev. Russell M. McIntire, pastor of the Clinton Baptist Church, shows boys at the regional Royal Ambassador Congress held last Saturday at Calvary Baptist Church in Jackson some interesting objects used in worship that he brought back from a tour of Southern Baptist mission fields in Argentina last October. (left to right) Russell McIntire, Jr.; Gary Jones, Dublin; Bob Anderson, Vicksburg; Mr. McIntire; Shelton Smith, Woodville; Dick Myers, Wesson and Dan Webb, Florence.

## Four Added In Youth Revival

Beulah Church of Smith Association held a youth revival the weekend of March 16th, with Rev. Joel Haire of Gore Springs as the evangelist. Johnny Searcy, member at Beulah, served as youth pastor. There were four professions of faith.

Rev. Earl Wells is pastor.

## Ethel (Attala) Calls Pastor

Rev. Artis Brewer has resigned as pastor of the Mossyville Church in Jasper County to accept the Ethel Church in Attala County.

During Rev. Brewer's pastorate in Jasper County, which was also his native home, he served the following churches as pastor: Corinth, Antioch, Eden, Stringer, and Mossyville, also Friendship, in Jones County, and Cross Roads, near Marshall, Texas.

During his pastorates, and under his leadership, five pastoriums, and three churches were erected. While in Jasper County, Rev. Brewer served as County Missionary, president to the Ministerial Association, Vice Moderator of the Jasper County Association, serving as Moderator of the 1957 sessions, and as Pastor Advisor of the Jasper County Training Union. Brewer attended school at



Rev. Artis Brewer

Clarke College and East Texas Baptist College. The Brewers have two children, Barbara and Johnny.

## HIGH SCHOOL DAY AT MC

Mississippi College's annual High School Day will begin April 11, at 8:30 a. m. with registration in Nelson Hall.

Approximately 300 students from Mississippi high schools are expected to attend this "college outlook" day. Preparations for the day have been under the direction of Suzanne Calhoun, Leland sophomore.

Miss Calhoun states that immediately after the registration-reception the group will assemble in Nelson Hall Auditorium for a talent show that will give the prospective student a view of MC's talent.

Lunch and supper will be served all the guests in the college cafeteria. The student body presidents will be honored at a special luncheon.

The afternoon will include tours of the campus and a baseball game with Howard. Displays have been planned in the majority of the departments for the visitors. The BSU sponsored Torch Hike to Camp Garaywa will give the climatic end to the high school day activities.

## Highland, Meridian Reaches Standard

Highland Church of Meridian has received notice that its Sunday School is now standard for the first time.

The school has grown rapidly through the concerted efforts of many as they have used this guide to better work. Sunday School enrollment has increased from 760 in October, 1955 to a present enrollment of 1,065 and attendance increase from an average of 489 to 597 for this current Sunday School year.

Dr. C. C. Randall is pastor.

## Sunday School And Training Union Attendance

March 23, 1958

Aberdeen, First	403	98
Amory, (Rankin)	461	136
Antioch, First	71	39
Batesville, First	630	248
Belden	130	66
Bethel (Lawrence)	87	47
Bethlehem (Jones)	169	71
Boonville, First	298	86
Brookhaven, First	137	385
Brookhaven, Second	67	229
Main	87	35
Southway	87	35
Halbert Heights	23	21
Bruce, First	30	12
Byram	201	117
Calhoun City, First	339	117
Center Hill (Desoto)	85	46
Charleston, First	85	46
Clarksdale, Oakhurst	513	163
Cleveland, First	435	104
Main	30	12
Chinese Mission	79	
Collins	175	110
Columbia	610	152
Columbus, First	865	324
Main	832	256
Fairview	116	68
Jonestown Mission	17	
Dixie	17	94
Duck Hill	100	35
Enon (Panola)	105	75
Furrs (Pontotoc)	105	75
Greenville, First	728	141
Main	687	
Greenwood, Calvary	41	145
Guilford, First	847	266
Guilford, Grace Memorial	320	79
Hattiesburg	629	150
First	232	102
Immanuel	1075	356
Main Street	1010	
North Main Mission	26	
Calvary Mission	19	
38th Avenue	126	
Hepzibah (Jeff Davis)	116	64
Jackson		
First	1148	358
Hillcrest	37	69
Daniel Memorial	910	332
Midway	226	88
Southside	431	132
Broadmoor	431	132
Calvary	1200	425
Main	1260	410
Mission	30	15
Parkway	746	372
Ridgecrest	476	267
Highland	117	58
Northside	202	
Van Winkle	608	339
Kosciusko, First	618	153
Main	28	
Maple Mission	28	
Kossuth (Alcorn)	45	14
Laurel	87	51
Laurel, Highland	92	32
Laurel, Plainway	121	67
Laurel, First	710	194
Laurel, Second Avenue	441	134
Long Beach, First	311	75
Main	290	64
Delaid	21	11
Longview (Okibbeha)	463	130
Lucedale	329	85
McComb, Locust St.	53	41
Mendenhall	30	100
Meridian		
First	919	172
Eighth Avenue	92	73
(Oakland Heights)	292	84
(Arrowwood Mission)	92	31
Fifteenth Avenue	271	208
State Boulevard	27	19
Highland	590	214
Emmanuel	76	22
Oak	186	82
(South Side)	482	135
(Fulton Avenue Mission)	26	26
(Poplar Springs Drive)	586	154
(Grandview Chapel)	27	19
Forty-first Avenue	392	114
Morton, Eastside	110	108
Morton, First	364	106
Natchez, First	533	212
Newton, First	408	169
Pascagoula, First	131	212
Main	638	186
McArthur Chapel	83	54
E. Washington Ave. Chapel	10	
Pearl	283	96
Pearl, Crestview	93	38
Petal-Harvey	368	131
Main	299	94
Harvey Mission	69	37
Petal, Temple	174	67
Picayune, First	557	112
Main	545	
Mission	12	
Plymouth (Lowndes)	149	83
Providence (Attala)	28	23
Potts Camp	269	49
Purvis, First	369	69
Ripley, First	378	99
Ruth	49	56
Soso, First	161	79
Starkville, First	581	335
Thibodaux Chapel	72	43
Tupelo, First	407	126
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Union, First	292	86
Wayside (Yalobusha)	34	29
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## — THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

## Lord's Supper Is Instituted

For March 30  
By Dr. L. Bracey Campbell

**THE ORDINANCES (THE SO-CALLED SACRAMENTS) OF THE CHURCH:** Bible Texts: Matthew 26:17-29; John 6:35-59; Acts 2:26-39; 16:25-34; Romans 6:3-11; 1 Cor. 10:14-22; 11:23-29.

Precious words from the lips of our Lord and others from the inspired pen of Paul. What is known as the passion of our Lord began with the institution of the Supper, followed by John's report of the great discourses of that event, what occurred in the Garden of Gethsemane, and the arrest.

**I. THE INSTITUTION AND THE MEANING.** In a lesson like this, it would seem that any treatment involving a consideration of the two ordinances should be arranged with the treatment of the ordinance of baptism first, as the observance of that ordinance comes first in the Christian experience. But we proceed here to treat them in the order in which our lesson committee has arranged them.

Our Lord instituted the ordinance of the Supper at the close of the Passover Supper on the first evening of the Feast of the Passover during which He was crucified. The Lord is our Passover Lamb in the sense that He secures for those who trust Him deliverance from eternal death, the penalty for sin, as the blood of the passover lamb of the Exodus from Egypt delivered the Israelites from the death inflicted by the death angel of the Lord upon every household upon the doorposts and lintel of the doors had not been fixed the blood of the lamb prescribed by the angel of the Lord. Once each year a feast was kept by the chosen people in commemoration of their deliverance from the death angel and their consequent deliverance from the slavery in which they were held in Egypt.

Here then, at the end of the passover supper, Jesus instituted His Memorial Supper by which His followers were to keep the memory of His sacrificial death alive until His second advent in His glorious return to earth. The articles of

food on which He fed them were bread and wine, and He fed them in that order. He gave them bread and said, "Take, eat. This is my body which is broken for you." Of course what He gave them was bread, nothing else. Its being broken could signify His body to be broken on the morrow for them and the other penitent sinners who might come in faith to Him down all of time's long stretching course. A cup of wine also He gave and commanded them all to drink of it saying, "It is my blood of the new covenant," continue to drink it, for it symbolizes cleansing from sin for those who trust the cleansing power of the blood I shed for your pardon, pardon from the guilty and penalty and weakness and corruption of sin.

Now what is the meaning or, rather what are the meanings of the Supper? They are precious and many. The observance of the Supper in sincerity may carry one back over the flood of years to the evening in the upper room where the Sanctified who came to save openly devoted Himself to His sacred task. It also gives access to His mystical presence that the partakers may share the truth of His promise, Where two or three of you are gathered in my name, there am I," and by yielding to the Spirit of Him in the practice of His presence, may realize the glory of the Fact, The Lord was there. And then, at last, it declares the coming of another meeting where shackles are laid away, and He will drink the fruit of the vine "new," the Father's kingdom.

**II. A WORD ON BAPTISM.** And that is all for which we have space. As to the mode, that is a settled question. The scholarship of the world has agreed that the act of baptism must picture a burial, a being buried, a rising from the grave, an immersion, a being under water, and an emersion.

It signifies in picture, that one has died to the life of sin, that his old body of sin, the sinful body, has been buried, and that the grace of God has raised a new man to walk in newness of life.

It is in a fine sense a pledge on the part of the subject to perform a purpose he has made, to keep a promise he has registered publicly before men and God.

I have been accustomed to say that baptism does nothing to the subject, but I take the word back. It does put the subject on record. It does stand him in the presence of a cloud of witnesses, it does say to all the world, to God and heaven's high angels, "I have left the land of bondage to the devil, have trusted the Lord to shear the bonds of slavery to Satan, and have voluntarily taken upon me the bonds of slavery to Christ who makes me free in Him."

Baptism is the outward sign of an inward grace, a crossing of the invisible line between the eternally living and the spiritually dead. Baptism is a picture, beautiful beyond compare, of the donning, the putting on of the uniform of a soldier of Christ. As many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ.

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MISS JUNE EARNEST

## First, Gulfport Elects Members Church Choir

In regular business session March 12, the membership of the First Church, Gulfport elected, for the first time, the members of the Church Choir.

The election by the church was the culmination of a number of steps designed to attach more significance to choir membership. Prior to election, the Church Choir adopted a new Agreement and Policy, which serves as a means of uniting and concentrating their thoughts and attitudes in regard to their Christian responsibilities as choir members.

New members enter into choir membership by means of application and conference. This procedure leads to presentation to the church for election.

Pastor of First Baptist Church, Gulfport, is Dr. Landrum Leavell. James Dooley is Minister of Music. Serving as organist is Miss June Earnest.

Miss Earnest has recently been added to the staff, serving as Organist-Financial Secretary. A native of Tupelo, she has been associated with the New Orleans Seminary for the past three years, both as a student and as cashier in the business office. Miss Earnest was formerly organist at Harrisburg church, Tupelo, and at Napoleon Avenue Church, New Orleans.

Diplomacy is the art of letting the other fellow have your way.

## Pastor To Preach Winona Revival

The Spring Revival of the First Church at Winona will be held March 30-April 6. The Easter Sunday evening service will be the annual Easter Musical.

The pastor, Rev. C. B. Hamlet, will be doing the preaching, and the educational director, Bill Latham, will lead the music and singing. When this revival was planned some months ago, it was planned as a climax to the church attendance crusade which began the first Sunday in January. Since that time it has developed that this will be the last revival meeting under the direction of Mr. Hamlet. He leaves the last of May to assume the pastorate of the Immanuel Church in Hattiesburg. Monday through Saturday of the meeting there will be only evening services beginning each night at 7:30 o'clock. The mornings are to be spent in visitation. The church nurseries will be open at each service so that parents with children 3 and under can attend.

## Bethel, Lowndes To Hold Meeting

Bethel Baptist Church in Lowndes County, will have its Spring Revival March 30-April 6. Rev. David Johnson, student at Clarke College, and former member of Bethel will be the guest evangelist.

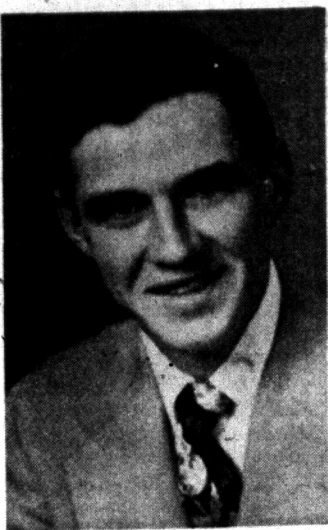
The church will observe Youth Week during the revival with the Young People leading in all phases of the church activities.

Services will be held each evening at 7:30. Rev. W. M. Daves is the pastor.

## Shetland Pony—Gift To Church

ALVA, Okla. (BP)—The First Baptist Church of Alva is going to have to find a new way to take Sunday offerings if it receives more like the one brought by a couple recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Turner brought a Shetland pony to church as their offering. The church decided to sell the pony and deposit the sale price in the church budget.



D. E. Byrd, Jr.

## ORDAINED

DECATUR BUTLER BYRD, Jr., was ordained to the gospel ministry by Trinity Church, Vicksburg, on Sunday, March 16. Rev. Tom Rayburn, pastor, Immanuel Church, delivered the charge to the candidate.

Rev. Bob Compere, pastor, Wogdawn Church, gave the charge to the church.

The ordination sermon was delivered by Rev. Frank W. Rush, pastor, Trinity Church. Rev. Ben Purvis, pastor Goodrum Memorial Church led the ordination prayer. After the laying on of hands by all pastors and deacons present, Rev. Byrd was presented a Bible by B. T. Ruth, chairman of deacons of Trinity Church.

Rev. Byrd was recently called as pastor of the Pattison Church. Prior to his call to Pattison Church, Byrd had served as Associate Pastor at Trinity.

Rev. Byrd, a native of Vicksburg, is now a third year student at Mississippi College. He has served a tour of duty with the Air Force in the Medical Corp and was a former employee of the Illinois Central Railroad Car Department in Vicksburg.

## New Zion Revival

New Zion Church in Leake Association will hold spring revival services March 30 and the week following.

Rev. Percy Jones, pastor of Bethel Church, Louisville, will be the evangelist. Rev. W. L. Stroud of Newton is the pastor.

## DEVOTIONAL

## The Divine Prescription

By CLIFTON PERKINS, Pastor  
First Church, West Point

Matthew 6:25-34

Medical science has developed what is known as tranquilizers. This drug is supposed to reduce anxiety and give one a sense of well being. Worry is a common ailment of all of us and there are times when we need something to reduce anxiety and give us a sense of well being. Tranquilizers certainly have their place in medical treatment. But I do not believe, and medical science does not claim, that they are the answer to the problem of worry.

About two thousand years ago Jesus of Nazareth, the Great Physician, gave a prescription that will cure worry. He said, "Be not anxious for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink; nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on. . . . But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." That is the Great Physician's prescription for worry. He tells us to quit, and He tells us how to quit.

### The Great Physician

The Great Physician does not leave us in doubt as to why we should quit our worrying. In this passage He gives us three very excellent reasons. First, worry is unfruitful. It never produces the desired results. "Which of you by being anxious can add one cubit unto the measure of his life?" Second, worry is unnecessary. "For your heavenly Father knoweth that you have need of all these things." Third, worry is unworthy. "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness." Our chief concern should be God's cause. All else should be left in His hands.

How can we quit worrying? The prescription is plain. "But seek ye first the Kingdom of God, and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." Begin now giving more of your time, talent and money to the cause of God and trust Him about some of the other things you need. When worry lays siege to the heart, the only victory is for the heart to lay siege to God's purpose. Many people have found that they could rise above worry when they were devoted to God's purpose which is greater than any little purpose of their own. That should be your strategy and mine.



V. W. TANYAS



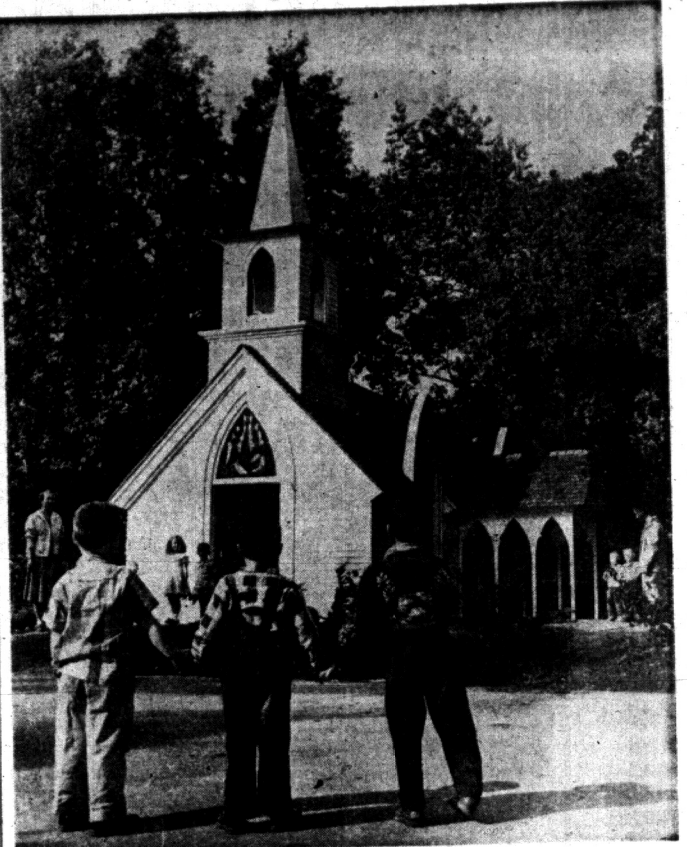
## New Pastor

Rev. V. William Tanyas, a native of Hungary, is the new pastor of New Salem Church in Lowndes Association.

He was formerly pastor of North Warren Baptist Church, in Warren, Ohio.

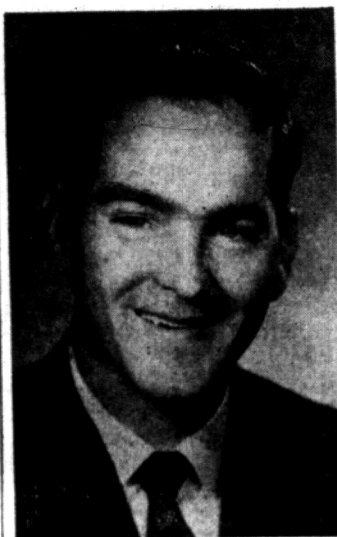
He holds the A. B. degree from Kent State University, Kent, Ohio; Th. B. from Bethel Seminary, St. Paul, Minn.; and is currently writing his thesis for his Th. M. from Southern Seminary, Louisville, Ky.

He and Mrs. Tanyas are both musicians.



CHILDREN'S CHAPEL OF PEACE—Oakland, Calif.—Hand in hand, three youngsters admire the new Children's Chapel of Lakeside Park's Children's Fairyland here. The tiny house of worship is the newest addition to the seven-year old playground. Seating 30 youngsters, the chapel is 12-feet wide and 24-feet long. Inside are miniature hand-finished pews, tables displaying the Holy Books of the major faiths, and lighting fixtures of days gone by. Later this spring a small but complete pipe organ will be installed.—(Religious News Service Photo).

## Joins Staff of S. S. Board



J. Carlton Carter

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (BSSB)—J. Carlton Carter, of Augusta, Ga., has been named director of Young People's work in the Training Union Department of the Baptist Sunday School Board, Dr. J. E. Lambdin, department secretary, has announced.

Carter, a native of Jacksonville, Fla., comes to the Sunday School Board from the First Baptist Church, Augusta, Ga., where he served as minister of education.

A graduate of Stetson University, DeLand, Fla., Carter holds an M. R. E. degree from Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL IN RAILROAD CARS—San Francisco, Calif.—Every Sunday morning children of Westminster Presbyterian church here hurriedly board railroad coaches, but they don't go any place. Once inside they study their Bible lessons. Three of the youngsters are shown leaving a car in which the church holds its Sunday school. With them are two teachers: Mrs. James Condos (left) and Mrs. Robert Evans.—(Religious News Photo).

## West To Conduct Yazoo Revival

March 30-April 6 revival services will be held at the Oak Grove Church in Yazoo County with the Rev. Elgin West bringing the messages, announces Rev. Gene Horn, pastor.

Mr. West is pastor of the First Church of Crowder. A prayer service will be held each evening at 7 p. m. with the evangelistic service following at 7:30. Night services only will be conducted Monday through Friday, Sunday, March 30, after the morning service, there will be "dinner on the ground" with the afternoon service beginning at 1:30.

Rev. Gene Alton Blalock of Sattartia will lead the singing.

## Highland, Laurel Presents Cantata

The Church Choir of Highland Baptist Church of Laurel will present an Easter Cantata, "Hail King of Glory," arranged by Lawrence Keating, on Sunday evening March 30 at 7:30. Everyone is invited to attend.

The choir will be under the direction of Sidney Buckley, Minister of Music. The organist is Mrs. Garland Lewis, and the pianist is Mrs. W. L. Lawrence.

JESUS' BELIEF IN MAN by Edwin McNeill Potat (Abingdon, 159 pp., \$2.50) — an extraordinary examination of human nature conducted by one of the most versatile Baptists of this century.

## "Restful Retirement Of Auber Wilds"

"The Restful Retirement" of Auber J. Wilds is the title of a superbly written article in the April issue of "The Baptist Training Union Magazine." It was prepared by Miss Marian Leavell, Baptist Student Union Director at Ole Miss.

Mr. Wilds retired five years ago after serving 35 years as Training Union secretary for Mississippi. Between trips over the United States and Canada, he lives in Oxford, where he is superintendent of the Extension Department in Sunday School.

Miss Leavell's article reveals Mr. Wilds as the very wonderful person that he is—and shows that he is in anything but "restful retirement!"

## Brucker - - -

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If not impossible."

The council is the laymen's organization of the Presbyterian Church in the USA. Attending the meeting for the first time were laymen from the United Presbyterian Church of North America. The two denominations will merge May 28 to form the United Presbyterian Church of North America.

Dr. Charles T. Leber, general secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, called on the laymen to enter into the present world crisis with the courage of their Christian convictions to make their influence felt individually and collectively.

"The conflict in which we are faced between the forces of Christ and the anti-Christ in the world requires the serious thought and full participation of the laity and young people not only in the work of the Church itself, but in their testimony in business, social, cultural and political affairs," he said.

## Kennedy Memorial Schedules Revival

Kennedy Memorial Church in Perry County, Rev. A. R. Miller, pastor, has scheduled an Easter revival for April 3-6, night services only, at 7 o'clock.

April 3 and 4 the speaker will be Rev. Justice Garrett, pastor first Church, Petal. April 5 will find Rev. Q. C. Barrett of Greens Creek Church speaking. A guest is to be invited April 6 and the pastor will preach at 11 a. m. Sunday.

## Pike Holds Clinic

An Associational Evangelistic Clinic will be held in Pike Association, Monday, March 31, at the Central Church, McComb. There will be two sessions. The afternoon session will begin at 3 o'clock and the evening session will begin at 7:15 o'clock.

Rev. Lincoln Newman, an Associate in the Department of Co-operative Missions will speak. Rev. J. B. Riley, pastor, First Church, Magnolia, will speak on "The Church and the Association in Evangelism."

Rev. Ed Williams, pastor, Friendship Church, McComb, will speak on "The Church and Evangelism" and Rev. T. D. Sumrall, pastor, East McComb Baptist Church, McComb, will speak "Every Baptist A Soul Winner."

## 15 Added In Eastside Meeting

A revival was held at Eastside Church, Pascagoula, March 9-16 with Rev. W. H. Merritt, pastor at Taylorsville, as the evangelist, and Paul Padgett, Minister of Music at First Church, Picayune, directing the music.

There were 60 lives dedicated to Christ; 11 professions of faith in Christ, or baptism; and three additions by letter.

Rev. Montie A. Davis is the pastor.

DENVER — Increased cooperation between military commanders and service chaplains is improving the morals and moral of servicemen at U. S. bases in the Pacific and the Far East.

## RELIGIOUS REMARKABLES . . . By Scheel

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## Skyscraper To Have 'Chapel In Sky'

DALLAS, Tex. (RNS)—A "chapel in the sky" will be included in a 42-story skyscraper scheduled to be completed here in 1959.

Southland Center, a \$25,000,000 development, will have a nondenominational sanctuary for prayer and meditation on the 38th floor. It will accommodate 35 persons.

Dan C. Williams, president of Southland Life Insurance Co., which is building the center, said the chapel would be open to "anyone seeking a moment of peace in a busy day."

The chapel will have an altar, stained glass windows and a vaulted, timber ceiling, said Mr. Williams, who conceived the idea for the chapel.

Included in the center will be a 28-story hotel.

## Turner To Lead Hattiesburg Meet

Rev. Luther Turner of Richmond will be the evangelist at Southside Church in Hattiesburg, April 6-13.

J. T. Taylor, minister of music

at the First Church in Purvis will lead the singing. He will be assisted by John Ellzey, minister of music at Southside Church.

Mrs. Garland McInnis will serve as pianist. Services will be at 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day. Rev. Garland McInnis is pastor.

## Off The Record

In an over crowded classroom, a teacher's morning attendance report to her principal started off with: "Help They're all here!"

June: What is it that the more it dries, the wetter it gets?  
Alice: I give up.  
June: A towel.

When Mrs. Smith was ill recently, her three children decided to be helpful. Pretty soon they came trotting in to announce: "We did the dishes for you Mom. I washed them, Anita dried them, and Gary picked up the pieces." — The Progressive Farmer.

He was said to be a great preacher — at the close of every sermon there was a great awakening.

Bill: I feel terrible today.  
Bob: What happened?  
Bill: Last night I made a mistake and plugged the electric blanket into the electric toaster.  
Bob: Well, what happened?  
Bill: I kept popping out of bed all night.

A Girl called on a farmer in response to an ad for a shepherd. "No, no, lassie," said the farmer. "I advertised for a shepherd, not a shepherdess."

"I know that," replied the girl; "but surely there's no reason why the work should not be undertaken by a woman?"

"Well, a woman tried it once and made a mess of the job," explained the farmer.  
"And who was she?"  
"Bo-Peep!" — Tid Bits.

Doctor: Did you tell Mr. Beinhlich that he is the father of triplets?  
Nurse: "No. He is still shaving."